

and Commerce, and to the Revenue and Agricultural Department, for information.

Also, that a copy of this Resolution, the Resolution by the Local Government, and the memorandum by the Commissioner in Sind, together with the general abstract of financial results, be forwarded to the Publisher of the *Gazette of India*, for publication in the Gazette Supplement.

Also, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to Her Majesty's Secretary of State.

HENRY A. BROWNLOW, *Colonel, R.E.*,
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Resolution No. 97 W. I.—216, dated 13th May 1885, by the Government of Bombay on the Revenue Report of Irrigation Works in Sind for 1883-84.

Letter from the Superintending Engineer for Irrigation in Sind, No. 325, dated 4th February 1885.

Forwards the Revenue Report of Irrigation Works in Sind for 1883-84 with the usual tables, charts and a copy of the index map of Sind, recently revised at the request of the Commissioner in Sind; and explains the cause of delay in submitting the report.

Memorandum from the Commissioner in Sind, No. 666, dated 20th February 1885.

Forwards the report, with accompaniments, with his observations thereon.

RESOLUTION.—The inundation of 1883 was an unfavorable one, as the chart of gauge readings clearly shows, and in consequence the area of cultivation (as shown in Table II) was 1,32,462 acres less than that of the previous year. The difference in the total canal revenue for collection, shown in the same table, was only R31,792—a result which is mainly due to the introduction of the temporary revision settlements; but this, however, does not include any portion of the remissions (R83,093), the claims for which were not disposed of until after the close of the year. On the other hand, the actual realizations on account of hakaba from jaghirs were only R85,130 out of a total sum for collection of R2,05,508, and the balance due was R1,20,378. The outstandings of hakaba in Khelat, R95,174, are far too large, and the Political Agent at Jacobabad should be requested to make arrangements for their clearance.

2. The total area cultivated during the year was 1,540,831 acres, including 178,724 acres of jaghir land; the area of cultivation on which revenue was assessed was 1,362,107 acres, and the irrigation share of net consolidated assessment was R31,68,358 giving an average rate of R2·3 per acre. The gross assessed revenue from all sources was R28,66,726, and the net revenue R14,93,020. The net profit, after paying of interest, from Productive Irrigation works was R55,625.

3. The total amount expended on maintenance and repairs and revenue collection during the year was R13,67,706, which is about the same as in the two previous years, and R2,18,448 more than the average of the four years ending 1880-81. The percentage of expenditure on revenue was 41·36, and the cost of maintenance per acre R0 88, or about 14 annas, which are both reasonable. The percentage of cost of Public Works Establishment on expenditure on maintenance and repairs was 24·37, which is also reasonable.

4. It is satisfactory to find that the cultivation and revenue on the Mithrau and Thar Capals are increasing, and there is every reason to hope that in another year or two, when the protective embankments and the deepening of the Nara Supply Channel are completed, the financial results of the Eastern Nara Works will show a profit. The canal revenue, as shown in Table III, is R43,313 more than that of 1882-83, when it was stated that the minimum had been reached, and the loss during the year under review was only R52,870.

5. Government notice with much satisfaction that the increased expenditure which has been incurred on the maintenance of, and on improvements to, the canals, and the construction of river embankments in Sind for the past three years, has been productive of great good; and that the Commissioner in Sind is confident that the result of the work which has been done by the Irrigation Department will, in the course of a few years, be a large and steady increase in canal revenue.

6. The report is considerably overdue, as explained by the Superintending Engineer for Irrigation in his forwarding letter. Every endeavour should be made to ensure its more punctual submission in the future.

7. Copies of the report, of the Commissioner's endorsement thereon, and of the review of this Government should be forwarded as usual to the Government of India and the Secretary of State.

No. 666 OF 1885.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Camp Tando Adam, 20th February 1885.

Superintending Engineer's No. 326, dated the 4th February 1885, forwarding the Irrigation Report.

Submitted to Government.

2. The inundation was not a good one, "its fluctuating nature being its chief and worst characteristic." The canals, in consequence of the lowness of the inundation, were not well filled, the result being that cultivation was contracted and collections were also affected. Remissions also had to be granted to a considerable extent. One result of the lowness of the inundation was that the protective embankments were not greatly tried and breaches and floods were rare.

3. There was a decrease in kharif cultivation amounting to 84,178 acres and in rabi of 62,007 acres, total 146,185 acres, but the canal revenue for collection was only less than that of the previous year by Rs1,792,—a result mainly attributable to higher rates on lands—which, owing to improvements in canals, have been converted into rice lands instead of being classed only as fit for dry crops.

4. The amount of remissions (para. 12 of the report) does not correctly represent the losses on the year's cultivation, as, unfortunately, especially in the Hyderabad District, the Collector failed to dispose of remission claims within the year, and after the close of the year claims amounting to Rs3,093 were admitted, namely, in Hyderabad Rs66,762, in Shikarpur, Rs15,749, and in the Frontier District Rs581. These remissions, however, are not solely on account of lands watered from canals, so the exact sum admitted against canal revenue cannot be stated.

5. The table in para. 5 of the report shows the increase or decrease in each Canal Division—the largest increase is in the Fuleli Division—but the greater part of the increase thus shown has since been remitted. The Superintending Engineer has fully explained the causes of increase or decrease in the other Divisions and they call for no remark. It is unnecessary for the Commissioner to follow the Superintending Engineer in his account of the different canals. All details have been very fully given. Suffice it to say that the financial results (para. 19) are satisfactory.

6. The work of recent years done by the Irrigation Department has been productive of great good, but the full return from the work done cannot be expected at once, especially in a country like Sind where agricultural labourers are not easily obtained. The revenue realizations of the year to which the

report refers, though less than those of the previous year, yet illustrate how much has been done, as with a low inundation the revenue would have shown a much larger decrease but for recent improvements to canals. Land too in the rear of the protective embankments is now being fast got ready for cultivation, and the Commissioner will be very much surprised if, in the course of a few years, there is not a large and steady increase in realizations. He has only recently travelled along the Thar and also the Nara protective embankments and was struck with the change in the country since he saw it three years ago. Everywhere lands were being got ready for the plough, and what was very satisfactory to notice was that the people were much better off than formerly. Before the erection of the protective embankments, cultivation was risky: one year splendid returns, the next sad losses; and this condition of things affected the morale of the people. Now with protection from floods they are becoming steady cultivators, working harder, and more anxious for improvements; and what is true of the Nara valley is, the Commissioner believes, true of every part of Sind, and that the protective embankments, if properly maintained, will do much to improve the condition and raise the character of the agricultural population. Much still remains to be done, but the results of the year, as shown in this report, show that satisfactory progress is being made.

H. N. B. ERSKINE,

Commissioner in Sind.

General Abstract of Financial Results of Irrigation Works.

		PRODUCTIVE PUBLIC WORKS.				IRRIGATION AND NAVIGATION ORDINARY—WORKS FOR WHICH CAPITAL EXPENDITURE IS INCURRED.					
		Desert Canal.	Begari Canal.	Eastern Nara Works.	TOTAL.	Sukkur Canal.	Ghar Canal.	Mehrab-wah.	Alibhar Kacheri Canal.	Marak Great Canal.	Surfraz.
Capital Outlay.		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
During year	Direct	77,581	88,562	2,06,628	4,32,771	20,635	...	15,414	...	...	...
	Indirect	1,609	1,906	5,686	9,261	3,416	...	431	...	...	...
TOTAL		79,250	90,468	2,72,314	4,42,032	24,051	...	15,845	...	...	...
To end of year	Direct	10,19,650	14,71,792	40,42,636	65,34,078	13,00,610	4,15,537	65,636	23,207	1,03,600	1,18,500
	Indirect	36,201	44,507	1,59,923	2,40,631	59,317	25,440	1,840	710	7,548	6,100
TOTAL		10,55,851	15,16,299	42,02,559	67,74,709	13,59,927	4,40,977	67,476	23,917	2,01,148	1,24,600
Gross Revenue.											
During year	Direct	15,186	31,170	21,936	68,292	756	5,020	263	394	1,594	1,200
	Indirect	94,826	1,08,716	1,60,093	4,23,634	66,373	5,26,959	14,365	5,938	57,169	16,200
TOTAL		1,10,012	1,99,886	1,82,029	4,91,926	67,129	5,31,979	14,628	6,332	58,763	17,400
To end of year	Direct	43,345	1,04,004	4,72,503	6,19,852	7,930	1,61,874	263	8,708	36,860	21,900
	Indirect	9,63,510	25,79,337	33,40,819	68,83,666	4,74,200	63,34,340	14,365	66,757	4,93,438	1,07,600
TOTAL		10,06,855	26,83,341	38,13,322	75,03,518	4,82,130	64,96,214	14,628	75,465	5,30,298	1,29,500
Working Expenses.											
During year	Direct	29,887	72,577	76,761	1,79,225	32,105	1,42,132	12,314	6,885	21,162	12,500
	Indirect	770	1,834	1,765	4,369	551	1,950	309	177	431	300
TOTAL		30,657	74,411	78,526	1,83,594	32,656	1,44,082	12,623	7,062	21,593	12,800
To end of year	Direct	2,58,713	14,75,232	19,76,457	37,10,402	6,43,774	24,09,242	12,314	66,721	1,82,201	1,26,300
	Indirect	7,954	41,241	92,119	1,41,314	20,886	56,482	309	2,143	5,031	5,200
TOTAL		2,66,667	15,16,473	20,68,576	38,51,716	6, 4,660	24,65,724	12,623	68,864	1,87,232	1,32,000
Net Revenue.											
During year		79,355	1,25,474	1,03,503	3,08,332	34,473	3,87,897	2,005	—730	37,170	4,600
To end of year		7,40,188	11,66,868	17,44,746	36,51,802	—1,82,530	70,30,490	2,005	6,601	3,43,066	—2,480
Simple Interest.											
During year		39,234	57,100	1,56,373	2,52,707	...	...	...	...	...	...
To end of year		3,10,733	7,09,740	28,23,202	39,03,675	...	...	...	...	...	...
Net profit after paying off Interest.											
During year		40,121	—68,374	—52,870	55,625	...	...	...	...	...	...
To end of year		4,29,455	3,97,128	—10,78,456	—2,51,873	...	...	...	...	...	...

N. B.—(1) Direct outlay under Working Expenses includes share of cost of collection in the Civil Department.
 (2) Interest charges on account of works other than Productive Public Works have been omitted, as they have been eliminated from the administrative account per Government of India's Circular No. IV. P. W., dated 1st May 1884, communicated in G. R. No. 223 of 23rd idem.

ATION.

Exclusive of RL 983, debited to Agricultural Works in Fuleli District on account of establishment employed for surveys in the Sibi District, as not pertain to any Irrigation Works in Sind Province.

GOVERNMENT
PUBLIC WORKS

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF IRRIGATION AND RAINFALL

Number.	Collector.	NAME OF WORK.	AREA UNDER COMMAND.		Full Kharif, 1884-85.			Full Rabi, 1884-85.		
			Gross Acres.	Irrigable Acres.	Total Acres.	In comparison with 1883-84.		Total Acres.	In comparison with 1883-84.	
						Increase.	Decrease.		Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	AHMEDABAD.	Háthmati Canal	44,744	28,840	96	...	513	1,172	408	...
2		Kháiri Cut	3,890	3,890	483	351	...	...	...	...
3		Hartála Tank	584	527	313	72	...	143	4	...
4	KHANDESH.	Mukti Reservoir	13,117	19,627	226	...	33	616	...	128
5		Mhasva Tank	4,093	3,912	50	...	52	324	98	...
6		Jámda Canals	46,288	40,185	770	296	...	1,323	...	286
7	NÍSIL.	Pálkher Canal	28,832	23,466	372	...	108	736	211	...
8		Wadáli Canal	3,486	2,433	77	...	46	124	44	...
9		Ojhar Támbat Canal	8,055	6,824	70	1	...	172	20	...
10	AHMEDNAGAR.	Ojhar Canal	23,724	20,088	463	...	135	1,184	190	...
11		Lákh Canal	29,913	22,760	124	34	...	178	103	...
12		Bhátodi Tank	14,733	12,485	553	...	58	742	...	41
13	POONA.	Mutha Canals	94,087	49,800	4,189	...	2,241	5,229	1,655	...
14		Kásurdi Tank	597	478	...	...	...	85	7	...

OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT.

ON CANALS IN THE DECCAN AND GUJARAT FOR THE YEAR 1884-85.

WHOLE YEAR 1884-85.			Percentage of Increase or Decrease.	RAINFALL.		Percentage of Increase or Decrease in 1884-85.	REMARKS.
Total Acres.	In comparison with 1883-84.			1883-84.	1884-85.		
	Increase.	Decrease.					
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1,268	...	105	8	K. 17'29 R. 0'75 T. 18'04	52'60 0'15 52'95	193	
483	351	...	266	K. 17'82 R. T. 17'82	35'48 35'48	99	
456	76	...	20	K. 38'90 R. 3'83 T. 42'73	25'55 4'55 30'10	29	
842	...	161	16	K. 26'4 R. 9'8 T. 35'12	27'97 4'88 32'30	6	Rainfall at Mukti Tank.
374	...	14	4	K. 34'25 R. 13'76 T. 48'01	28'31 3'21 31'42	35	
2,093	10	...	...	K. 30'03 R. 6'76 T. 36'78	23'17 2'77 25'94	29	
1,108	108	...	10	K. 43'05 R. 13'92 T. 55'97	28'69 6'99 35'68	36	
201	...	...	1	K. 32'33 R. 9'73 T. 42'06	16'88 5'87 24'75	41	At Niphad.
242	21	...	10	K. 25'66 R. 13'03 T. 38'69	15'00 8'39 23'39	40	Rainfall at Ashwi.
1,647	45	...	3	K. 31'12 R. 3'00 T. 34'12	14'55 8'82 23'37	31	
302	137	...	33	K. 33'86 R. 9'93 T. 43'79	13'09 4'13 17'22	61	
1,295	...	99	7	K. 31'61 R. 14'62 T. 46'23	24'61 12'79 37'40	19	Figures of rainfall are those of Civil Hospital at Poona. The fall at Uruli at 30th mile of Mutha Right Bank Canal was—1883-84, K. 13'91, R. 7'17, T. 21'08; 1884-85, K. 10'59, R. 6'59, T. 20'25. The rainfall at Kasurdi, the 44th mile, and at Khedgaon, the 61st mile, is given opposite Kasurdi and Matoba Tanks respectively.
9,418	...	586	6	K. 10'55 R. 7'03 T. 17'58	7'49 12'25 19'84	13	
85	7	...	9				

Comparative Statement of Irrigation and Rainfall

Number.	Collectorate.	NAME OF WORK.	AREA UNDER C MEAND.		Fest Kharif 1884-85.			Fest Kharif, 1885-86.		
			Gross Acres.	Irrigable Acres.	Total Acres.	In comparison with 1883-84.		Total Acres.	In comparison with 1883-84.	
						Increase.	Decrease.		Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
15	POONA.	Mátoba Tank	10,700	7,133	412	...	770	788	169	...
16		Sirsuphal Tank	4,500	2,500	935	453	...	560	...	...
17		Bhádálvadi Tank	1,900	1,500	401	64	...	375	209	...
18	SHOLAPUR.	Elrók Tank	17,152	15,320	1,276	353	...	1,823	1,300	...
19		Ashúti Tank	17,882	14,476	477	51	...	8	...	305
20		Revári Canal	3,813	3,524	193	53	...	422	...	113
21	SATARA.	Yerla Canals	8,510	7,150	405	...	154	691	295	...
22		Pingli Tank } Upper Mos. River Works.	6,786	5,966	454	68	...	361	103	...
23		Gondoli Canal }								
24	BELGAUM.	Maini Tank	4,376	4,625	611	...	154	694	350	...
25		Chikhli Canal	1,871	1,478	256	...	21	63	32	...
26		Krishna Canal	27,407	25,533	1,508	...	669	1,682	613	...
27	DHULE.	Gokák Canal, First Section	12,000	10,682	1,450	1,460	...	1,227	1,227	...
28		Dámbal Tank	3,935	3,885	30	...	14	70	30	...
29		Madag Tank	2,045	2,024	46	163	...	179	...	6
30	DHULE.	Medleri Tank	1,916	1,062	194	184	...	37	37	...
31		Assundi Tank	1,800	1,800	46	46	...	13	13	...
			443,256	337,092	16,729	...	1,339	20,924	6,178	...

on Canals in the Deccan and Gujarat for the year 1884-85.

IRRIGATED.			Percentage of Increase or Decrease.	RAINFALL.		Percentage of Increase or Decrease in 1884-85.	REMARKS.
WHOLE YEAR 1884-85.				1883-84.	1884-85.		
Total Acres.	In comparison with 1883-84.						
	Increase.	Decrease.					
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1,200	...	601	33	K. 13.64 R. 6.07	8.47 12.56	7	
				T. 19.71	21.08		
				K. 19.99 R. 5.85	6.77 8.12		
1,495	459	...	44	T. 25.34	16.09	40	
				K. 22.65 R. 6.71	7.71 5.46		
				T. 29.36	13.17		
579	263	...	83	K. 36.27 R. 3.27	12.24 8.87	55	
				T. 39.54	21.11		
				K. 23.00 R. 4.42	6.80 5.61		
3,101	1,662	...	115	T. 27.42	12.21	55	
				K. 25.45 R. 4.71	30.30 6.67		
				T. 30.16	36.97		
485	...	254	34	K. 25.42 R. 8.57	18.61 12.78	26	
				T. 33.99	31.29		
				K. 11.95 R. 6.64	7.17 7.20		
615	...	60	9	T. 18.59	14.97	23	Pingli Rainfall.
				K. 14.89 R. 7.26	7.02 7.49		
				T. 22.15	14.51		
1,006	141	...	15	K. 17.46 R. 6.91	8.77 9.58	34	Gondoli do.
				T. 24.37	18.35		
				K. 17.11 R. 5.07	11.55 14.45		
815	171	...	27	T. 22.68	26.00	15	
				K. 20.68 R. 4.87	15.16 10.48		
				T. 25.55	25.64		
1,205	196	...	19	K. 9.20 R. 10.39	9.55 8.05	10	The canal was not in operation in 1883-84.
				T. 19.59	17.60		
				K. 7.28 R. 7.09	6.23 5.95		
319	11	...	4	T. 14.37	12.17	15	
				K. 24.60 R. 11.88	12.70 7.33		
				T. 35.98	20.02		
3,275	...	56	2	K. 11.43 R. 9.93	5.36 11.08	23	The tanks were not in operation in 1883-84.
				T. 21.36	16.34		
37,703	4,830	...	15	30.59	24.35	...	

Note.—Figures in block in columns 15 and 18 show percentage of decrease.

J. LAMESURIER, Colonel R.E.
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Statement showing the proportion between the amount of water available for consumption and that actually used for purposes of Irrigation during 1884-85 on the Canals fed direct from Rivers.

NAME OF CANAL.	APRIL AND MAY.			JUNE TO SEPTEMBER.			OCTOBER TO JANUARY.			FEBRUARY AND MARCH.		
	Supply avail- able for consumption, cubic feet per second.	Actually used for purposes of irrigation, cubic feet per second.	Proportion used of available supply.	Supply available for consumption.	Actually used.	Proportion used.	Available for consumption.	Actually used.	Proportion used.	Available for consumption.	Actually used.	Proportion used.
Háthmati . . .	8	6.5	.812	120	28.5	.237	144	73	.507	115	69	.600
Jámda . . .	178.7	30.3	.170	287.3	19.1	.066	308.8	23.9	.077	207	25.3	.122
Pálkhed . . .	3.37	*7.08	2.100	41.04	8.54	.210	38.99	14.86	.380	7.90	*12.15	1.540
Ojhar . . .	56.33	31.90	.570	106.47	24.57	.230	109.30	23.19	.210	63.60	24.49	.390
Láth . . .	33.13	20.28	.610	115.15	17.15	.150	120.49	19.23	.160	63.84	17.84	.280
Rewári . . .	7.01	5.76	.820	12.79	1.73	.130	15.00	4.50	.300	12.74	5.43	.430
Yerla . . .	8.15	8.15	1.000	30.06	8.32	.270	19.76	10.31	.520	9.07	9.07	1.000
Chikhli . . .	0.83	0.53	.640	9.65	1.64	.170	13.60	2.41	.180	4.73	0.91	.190
Krishna . . .	44.80	19.39	.430	128.72	26.24	.200	139.93	45.92	.330	111.12	40.36	.360

* Excess got from backwater supply.

J. LEMESURIER, Colonel, R.E.,

Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF IN THE PUNJAB IN 1885-86 UP TO 31st MAY 1885.

CANAL DIVISION.	WATER DISTRIBUTED DURING MAY 1885.				NAVIGATION RETURN CANAL.		LAND IRRIGATED (APPROXIMATE).		RAINFALL.		CHIEF CROPS (APPROXIMATE).		REMARKS.		
	DEPTH IN CANAL AT REGULATING GLOCK.		GROSS CONSUMPTION, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND.		PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF TRAFFIC.		ZILA.	ACRES.	Average.	During month.	NAME.	Area in acres.			
	Full supply.	Actual throughput.	Estimated full supply.	Actual acreage throughout.	Up.	Down.									
1st Division { Main Branch, Lower 2nd do., Lahore Branch Passed through Escapes	4-9	4-58	{ 3,073-4	{ 1,286	Gurdaspur	8,302	1-05	1-6	Cotton	27,669	On the Bari Doab Canal there is an increase of 22,599 acres as compared with the corresponding period of last year, which is chiefly due to the opening up of new reabable.		
	4-6	3-9			Amritsar	22,294	1-2	3-7		Rice	1,171
	3-35	2-9			Lahore	41,045	1-6	2-7		Sugarcane	8,998
	...	...	...	389	...	...	...	...	...	...	Others	33,809
	2,857	71,641		71,641	
TOTAL BARI DOAB CANAL	3,073-6	2,857	48,791	48,791	The decrease on the Western Jumna Canal is compared with the corresponding month of last year is due to the heavy rainfall, much of the sugarcane having been planted out without canal water.		
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	3,073-6	2,507	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd Division { Karnal Division Delhi do. Hansi do. Do. Palla Canal. Passed through Escapes	4-33	3-46	{ 2,546	{ 605	...	...	Umballa	341	0-85	1-51	Cotton	10,287	
	5-70	5-89			Karnal	7,013	0-86	1-18		Rice	260
	9-00	5-67			Delhi	16,231	0-60	2-00		Sugarcane	32,391
	8-80	...	...	100	...	...	Rohatak	14,934	0-65	2-20	Others	13,061
	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hissar	8,476	0-40	2-40	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Jind	8,832	0-30	1-30	...	...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	Bikaner	133	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Kalsia State	41	...	...	...	...
TOTAL WESTERN JUMNA CANAL	2,546	1,911	56,999	56,999	On the Indus Canal there is an increase of 32,599 acres as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding year.		
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	2,546	2,689	...	...	...	71,516	...	...	...	71,516
3rd Division { Main Line Abohar Branch Bhatinda do. Feeders British Escapes	8-0	3-7	4,500	1,218	...	...	Ludhiana	669	0-93	2-55	Cotton	1,776	
	6-8	2-9	1,650	706	...	...	Ferozepore	4,567	0-76	1-7	Rice	...	
	5-8	0-7	1,200	71	...	...	Faridkot State	1,130	...	...	Sugarcane	169
	8-0	2-0	1,650	198	...	...	Nabha State	40	...	...	Others	4,365
	...	...	...	283	...	...	Faizla State	4	...	...	...	...
...	...	4,500	1,218	...	...	...	6,310	...	...	...	...	6,310
TOTAL SIBERIAN CANAL	907	979	979	On the Indus Canal there is an increase of 32,599 acres as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding year.		
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th Division { Upper Sutlej Division Lower Sobag Canal Lower Sutlej and Chenab Division Indus Canals Division Muzaffargarh Canals Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lahore	2,290	...	...	Detail not obtainable for want of establishment.	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	Montgomery	810	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	Montgomery	7,200	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	Multan	88,124	0-4	1-6	...	...	
	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ghazi Khan	13,314	...	0-5	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffargarh	48,302	0-2	3-00	...	...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156,040	...	...	...	...	156,040
TOTAL INDUS CANALS	123,751	123,751	On the Indus Canal there is an increase of 32,599 acres as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding year.		
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	133,950	...	...	...	133,950
PRESIDENTIAL CANALS, GRAND TOTAL	121,286	121,286			
Do. corresponding period of last year			

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PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER

DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholam, Jowar), Holers, Boryham.			Bairush Millet, Boro, Bary, Pennicillaria.		
	Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.		
	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.	Per 100 lbs.
PROVINCES.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.
MADRAS.																		
Ganjam	17	11	17	11	8	13	...	...	...	13	13	13	13	17	13	14	11	14
Vizagapatam	18	0	18	0	18	0	...	...	...	11	14	11	14	13	14	14	8	16
Godavery	14	6	17	2	14	6	...	...	...	11	14	12	8	13	8	13	0	15
Kistna	10	5	10	5	14	11	...	...	...	12	6	12	6	12	0	12	14	12
Nellore	12	8	16	5	12	2	...	...	...	12	6	12	6	12	0	12	14	12
Cuddapah	13	3	13	3	14	0	...	...	...	10	8	10	8	12	13	10	13	11
Anantapur	11	0	11	0	12	8	...	...	...	11	8	11	8	12	6	12	6	13
Bellary	16	5	16	5	17	5	...	...	...	11	8	11	8	12	6	12	6	13
Kurnool	11	6	11	6	14	0	...	...	...	11	6	11	6	11	6	12	2	13
Madras	21	0	21	0	10	0	...	...	...	11	13	11	13	13	8	12	13	15
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	0	12	0	13	8	13	10	13
North Arcot	9	11	9	11	9	11	...	...	...	13	3	13	2	14	0	15	0	16
South Arcot	9	6	8	10	10	14	...	...	...	12	3	11	11	13	14	12	11	14
Tanjore	10	5	10	5	11	13	...	...	...	12	6	12	0	14	2	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	9	14	9	14	9	11	...	...	...	11	8	11	8	14	0	12	0	11
Madurai	11	11	11	11	13	5	...	...	...	11	13	11	13	13	6	12	3	11
Tinnevely	9	10	9	10	8	14	...	...	...	12	0	11	2	10	11	11	10	11
Coimbatore	13	14	13	14	14	13	...	...	...	12	10	12	10	12	10	13	10	13
Nilgiris	8	8	8	8	9	8	...	...	...	8	13	9	10	10	6	9	10	8
Salem	10	3	10	3	15	5	...	...	...	10	13	10	13	14	10	12	13	11
South Canara	10	5	10	5	9	8	...	...	...	10	6	9	8	9	11	13	8	11
Malabar	9	6	10	2	8	10	...	...	...	12	2	12	10	13	6	13	6	14
BOMBAY.																		
Bombay	10	14	12	0	11	4	21	13	19	2	7	4	7	5	7	10	10	9
Ahmedabad	15	8	15	8	12	8	25	0	25	0	8	8	6	8	11	0	11	8
Kaira	14	8	14	8	13	0	24	8	24	8	9	0	8	14	8	12	5	11
Surat	14	14	18	8	10	5	20	0	20	0	7	5	7	5	8	5	8	8
Broach	20	0	20	0	12	0	...	...	...	9	12	9	12	12	12	12	12	12
Tanna (Salsette)	11	0	11	15	10	10	16	0	16	0	7	4	8	0	7	0	8	0
Colaba (Alibeg)	8	8	9	8	7	8	...	...	...	5	8	6	0	6	0	10	8	11
Khandesh (Dhulia)	17	14	20	8	13	12	...	...	...	7	4	7	4	7	2	11	0	11
Nasik	17	0	17	2	17	0	...	...	...	10	6	10	6	6	0	11	0	10
Ahmednagar	14	0	15	0	13	6	...	...	...	7	10	7	8	8	5	9	0	9
Poona	13	13	13	13	12	10	9	4	9	4	9	13	9	13	8	9	11	0
Sholapur	14	4	14	15	16	5	...	...	...	9	8	10	7	10	7	10	15	11
Dijapur (Bagalkot)	16	8	16	8	20	0	18	8	18	0	7	8	7	8	7	12	10	8
Satara	12	1	12	1	13	6	...	...	...	9	9	9	9	8	3	11	7	11
Belgaum	15	8	15	0	20	5	12	0	12	8	15	2	11	8	11	0	13	10
Dharwar (Hubli)	17	0	17	0	23	0	...	...	...	12	0	12	0	13	0	13	0	13
Ratnagiri	10	9	11	3	10	9	...	...	...	9	4	9	4	7	13	11	5	12
Kanara (Karwar)	14	8	13	0	9	0	...	...	...	7	0	7	0	7	0	14	0	14
Panch Mahals (Doodhra)	13	5	13	6	11	6	...	...	...	11	6	11	6	10	0	13	5	13
Aden	9	5	9	5	7	0	...	...	...	5	10	5	10	5	10	6	3	6
Asirgarh	19	2	20	0	14	0	...	...	...	12	4	12	4	11	0	13	0	13
Burda	13	2	12	9	11	1	16	0	16	0	7	7	7	7	7	9	10	5
Dasa	15	15	15	15	15	13	...	...	...	7	2	7	2	6	10	8	14	8
Nimach	23	4	23	0	19	0	35	8	35	0	8	0	8	0	9	8	9	0
Nasirabad	21	3	21	8	18	8	27	0	28	15	23	7	6	8	6	8	6	0
Rajkot	16	8	16	8	15	8	...	...	...	6	0	6	0	6	0	9	8	9
Upper Sindh Frontier	16	0	16	2	14	8	22	12	20	0	33	4	10	0	10	0	11	0
Karachi	14	8	14	8	13	6	22	0	22	0	20	0	8	8	8	8	0	15
Haidarabad (Nakur)	18	0	18	0	16	0	25	0	25	0	22	0	11	0	11	0	12	4
Shikarpur	14	6	14	8	14	10	23	0	23	2	22	8	11	0	11	0	11	12
Sukkur	17	0	17	0	16	0	23	0	23	0	12	0	12	0	11	8	16	0
Thar & Parker (Umarkot)	17	0	17	0	14	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	0	21	0	13	8
WESTERN DISTRICTS.																		
Burdwan	16	0	17	0	15	12	...	...	...	36	4	13	3	13	5	13	4	14
Bancoorah	16	0	16	0	16	8	17	0	18	0	18	8	14	4	15	0	16	0
Beerbhoom	16	8	17	4	16	8	...	...	...	12	0	12	0	13	14	13	12	16
Midnapore	16	0	16	0	12	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	15	0	14	0	15	0
Hooghly	16	0	16	0	15	0	...	...	...	9	0	9	0	8	0	13	8	14
Howrah	16	0	16	0	14	8	...	...	...	11	0	11	4	11	8	12	12	13

* The figure now quoted is correct.

* In the interior the retail price of salt per rupee were—Cuttack 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Manoeungee 12-4 seers.

* In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 12 to 16 seers per rupee.

* In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 13-5 seers per rupee.

INDIA.

AND COMMERCE.

FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JUNE 1895.

RATES OF RENTALS.

AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER

Provinces.	Districts.	QUANTITIES PER																	
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholam, Jawar), Holcus Sorghum.			Bairnah (Cumbor, Pencilana)		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.
BENGAL—continued.	Central Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Calcutta	16 0	16 0	16 0	19 8	19 0	20 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	9 12	9 12	13 0	14 4	14 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0
	24-Pergunnahs	14 8	16 0	14 8	17 12	20 0	17 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 12	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nuddea	16 12	17 4	17 4	22 15	23 15	20 0	11 6	11 6	12 8	15 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 8	15 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	15 4	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 8	14 8	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Meerabad	16 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 8	12 12	12 12	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinapore	16 0	16 0	14 8	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	14 8	13 8	13 12	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rajahmundry	17 4	16 14	18 4	24 6	26 4	30 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	12 0	12 0	13 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpore	14 10	14 8	20 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	12 12	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pogra	16 8	17 4	12 12	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	10 8	13 8	13 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pulna	18 12	19 8	24 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 4	13 2	12 12	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling	10 0	11 0	...	11 0	10 0	10 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	13 0	13 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Dacca	16 0	21 0	16 0	32 0	32 0	21 0	13 8	12 0	12 8	16 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Farrakka	16 0	16 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	34 0	12 0	13 0	13 8	13 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	13 12	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	12 12	11 4	12 0	14 0	13 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong	16 0	16 0	18 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nonkholy	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tipperah	14 8	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 5	12 7	18 0	14 4	14 8	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	12 4	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Behar.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Patna	21 0	21 0	20 0	23 8	26 0	21 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gya	17 12	17 8	16 0	23 0	23 0	20 0	9 0	10 0	9 8	12 0	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shahabad	19 0	19 0	18 0	23 8	24 0	22 0	9 0	10 0	9 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	25 0	...	21 0	25 0	...
	Durbhanga	15 0	18 12	16 0	19 8	21 0	...	8 0	11 8	10 15	11 0	13 12	14 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Moruffepore	18 0	19 0	17 0	23 0	23 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sarun	19 0	20 0	18 8	23 0	24 0	22 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	15 8	16 0	12 4	26 0	25 0	21 0	...	...	...
	Chumpran	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Monghyr	19 4	19 4	18 14	23 1	23 5	21 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	12 9	11 12	13 1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagalpur	18 15	19 9	16 14	25 4	25 4	20 8	11 6	11 6	12 0	12 10	13 4	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Purneah	19 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Malda	20 0	20 8	20 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 8	11 0	13 8	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Southal Pergunnahs	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	15 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Orissa.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Cuttack	14 7	15 12	15 12	...	...	...	10 8	13 2	13 2	13 2	17 1	18 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pooree	14 7	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	14 7	14 7	17 1	15 10	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balasore	18 0	18 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	23 0	22 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	South-Western Frontier Agency.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Haziribagh	14 0	14 4	14 0	16 0	16 0	...	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	13 8	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lohardugga	14 0	14 0	13 0	17 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Singbhum	20 0	20 0	18 0	24 0	20 0	22 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sambhum	15 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	17 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

- 1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Barasat and Buxarhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour (at Kulpihat) 12-4 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and 12 seers.
 2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koochla 13 seers, Meherpore 10-10 seers, Choudanga 13 seers, and Kanaghat 12-14 seers.
 3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenida and Narail 12 seers, Magura 10-12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
 4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baitagh 10-8 seers, Jungipore 11 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
 5 The retail price of salt at Khatuanga 10-8 seers per rupee, and at Nithpore 10 seers.
 6 In the Nattore and Nowgong sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
 7 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nilphaman 12 seers, Gaidanda and Kuirgram 13 seers.
 8 In Barajunga the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
 9 The retail price of salt at Kurmog 8 seers per rupee and at Silliguri 10 seers.
 10 In the sub-division (at Kalcotta) the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
 11 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 13 seers, Moonshigunge 13 seers and 12 chittacks, and Naraingunge 13-10 seers.
 12 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaulunda 12 seers, and Madaripore 12-8 seers.
 13 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Pargashali 10-10 seers, Purosepur 11 seers, and Bhola 10-8 seers.
 14 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10 seers, Atia 12 seers, Jamalpur 11-4 seers, and Nitroona 12-4 seers.

SEERS OF 80 TOLARS.

5 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt were 10 seers per rupee.
 6 In the interior the retail prices of salt ranged from 9 to 12-4 seers per rupee.
 7 In the Brahmanabada and Chandepore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12-8 seers per rupee.
 8 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Aurangabad 11-5 seers, Jehanabad 12 seers, and Nowada 10 seers.
 9 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Buxar and Samauri 11-8 seers, and Bhithani 11 seers.
 10 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Mathurani 12 seers, and Tappore 11-5 seers.
 11 In the Bagmati and Hajepore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
 12 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sawan 11-5 seers, and Gopalgaunge 10-4 seers.
 13 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Bhagalpur 11 seers and Janmuri 12 seers.
 14 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhark 12 seers, Mahendrapur 10-5 seers, and Sookpore 10 seers.
 15 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishengunge 9 seers, and Arraham (at Kishengunge) 12 seers.
 16 In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Rakour 10-8 seers, Godda and Rajmuni 11 seers.
 17 In Khordha the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
 18 In Bhubanuck the retail price of salt was 9-4 seers per rupee.
 19 The retail price of salt at Kharguana in the Giridih sub-division was 13 seers per rupee.
 20 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER REP:

PROVINCES.		DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE.																									
			Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar). Holcus Sorghum.			Burmah Millet (Cholum, Jowar). Panicum Sp.										
			Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.					
ASAM.		S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	
	Sylhet	13	8	18	0	12	4	...	...	...	...	13	0	13	0	10	12	17	8	16	0	15	4	...	...	...	...	...
	Cochar	10	10	10	10	9	2	...	...	12	13	8	0	8	0	8	0	12	0	14	0	13	4	...	...	...	...	...
	Goalpara	18	0	20	0	18	0	...	...	...	...	6	0	6	0	8	0	9	0	7	0	14	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Okra Hills	...	...	...	...	4	0	...	...	...	...	9	0	10	0	11	0	13	0	15	0	18	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Kamrup	16	0	16	0	13	0	...	...	...	...	8	0	8	0	8	0	11	0	11	0	11	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Darrang	7	0	7	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8	5	0	8	0	13	0	13	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Nowgong	8	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	0	9	0	8	0	14	0	14	0	14	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	11	0	8	0	12	0	13	0	11	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Lakhimpur	11	0	10	0	9	0	...	...	10	0	11	0	11	0	8	0	10	0	10	8	11	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Khass & Jaintia Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	0	7	0	...	...	10	0	10	8	11	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0	4	0	...	...	8	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dehra Doon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Muzaffarnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Meerut	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bulandshahr	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Aligarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kanoun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garhwal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bijnor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Moradabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Budam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bareilly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shahjahanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tarai Pergunnabs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Muttra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Agra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Farukhabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mainpuri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ktawah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ktah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jaloun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jhansi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER HUNDRED

		QUANTITIES PER HECTARE																													
PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar, Biscuit, Sorghum).			Bairrawa Millet (Lundoo, Baira, Panicum, etc.).														
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.												
																				S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.
PUNJAB—continued.	Ferozepore	35	0	24	0	28	0	44	0	40	0	40	0	12	0	12	0	10	0	37	0	37	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mooltan	19	0	19	0	18	0	27	0	27	0	26	0	11	0	10	0	10	0	24	0	24	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jhang	23	0	22	0	21	0	31	0	32	0	29	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	0	18	0	24	0	30	0	30	0	...
	Montgomery	21	0	21	0	21	0	32	0	32	0	31	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	0	24	0	20	0	...	...	...	...	...
	Lahore	24	0	24	0	25	0	34	0	34	0	39	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	0	30	0	30	0	32	0	32	0	...
	Amritsar	27	0	27	0	27	0	40	0	40	0	37	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	0	33	0	35	0	36	0	37	0	...
	Gurdasur	31	0	30	0	31	0	40	0	40	0	40	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	0	34	0	36	0	37	0	38	0	...
	Gujranwala	27	0	23	0	25	0	40	0	40	0	38	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	0	35	0	36	0	37	0	38	0	...
	Sialkot	35	0	25	0	27	0	41	0	43	0	44	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	0	36	0	38	0	39	0	40	0	...
	Gujrat	29	0	30	0	31	0	40	0	44	0	59	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	0	37	0	39	0	40	0	41	0	...
	Rawalpindi	30	0	32	0	29	0	48	0	55	0	43	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	0	38	0	40	0	41	0	42	0	...
	Jhelum	27	0	27	0	29	0	39	0	39	0	42	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	0	39	0	41	0	42	0	43	0	...
	Shalpur	28	0	28	0	30	0	...	...	36	0	37	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	0	40	0	42	0	43	0	44	0	...
	Muzaffargarh	21	0	21	0	20	0	28	0	28	0	27	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	0	41	0	43	0	44	0	45	0	...
	Dera Ghazi Khan	30	0	21	0	20	0	30	0	30	0	35	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	0	42	0	44	0	45	0	46	0	...
	Dera Ismail Khan	29	0	26	0	24	0	40	0	40	0	39	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	0	43	0	45	0	46	0	47	0	...
	Bannu	35	0	35	0	35	0	58	0	59	0	48	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	0	44	0	46	0	47	0	48	0	...
	Kohat	27	0	25	0	29	0	54	0	56	0	48	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	0	45	0	47	0	48	0	49	0	...
	Peshawar	24	0	24	0	29	0	47	0	48	0	49	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	0	46	0	48	0	49	0	50	0	...
	Hazara	39	0	28	0	30	0	43	0	42	0	41	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	0	47	0	49	0	50	0	51	0	...
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Saugor	35	4	25	9	28	0	...	...	...	12	0	13	0	10	0	13	8	14	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Damoh	39	0	30	0	32	0	...	...	...	17	2	16	0	12	0	17	13	17	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jubbulpore	20	0	21	8	23	0	...	...	...	12	0	12	8	8	0	14	0	15	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mandla	25	0	27	8	32	0	...	...	...	16	0	16	0	16	0	18	0	17	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Seoni	24	14	23	9	25	0	...	...	...	12	13	12	13	12	0	17	15	17	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Narsinghpur	30	4	19	2	21	0	...	...	...	12	0	12	8	8	8	14	5	13	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hoshangabad	19	0	20	3	20	4	...	...	...	8	7	8	7	4	0	10	14	10	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nimr	18	6	10	11	21	10	...	...	...	8	7	8	7	12	9	13	1	13	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Betul	23	0	23	0	24	0	...	...	...	12	0	12	1	11	0	12	0	12	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chhindwara	20	0	22	0	25	0	...	...	...	8	12	10	0	8	8	13	12	13	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Wardha	21	5	21	5	25	0	...	...	...	8	14	8	14	9	0	12	5	12	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nagpur	23	15	20	15	22	12	...	...	...	9	6	9	6	9	12	15	0	15	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chanda	22	0	23	5	25	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	0	16	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhandara	22	0	25	0	24	12	...	...	...	11	4	11	4	9	12	18	0	18	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balaghat	27	9	27	9	24	0	...	...	...	13	2	13	2	14	0	23	15	22	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Raipur	30	0	31	2	28	0	...	...	...	14	10	14	10	14	0	20	14	20	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bilaspur	39	15	44	6	47	8	...	...	...	22	0	21	6	28	8	31	0	29	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sambalpur	28	0	26	4	22	12	...	...	...	19	4	22	12	21	0	26	4	26	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ARAKAN DIVISION.	Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	8	12	8	11	8	16	8	16	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Northern Arakan	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	0	11	8	12	12	13	0	13	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kyaukpada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sandoway	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	2	17	2	...	...	22	14	19	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pegu Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangoon Town	30	6	20	10	14	2	...	...	...	12	2	12	8	11	4	12	9	12	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tegu	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	14	9	14	7	9	12	1	12	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tharrawaddy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	14	7	14	7	2	11	15	11	15	7	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Prome	17	2	17	2	16	2	...	...	...	14	15	14	15	11	3	16	2	17	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Irrawaddy Division.
	Bassein	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	0	16	8	13	7	17	11	17	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Henzada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	15	11	15	9	9	15	10	15	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thonagwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	12	10	12	8	6	17	7	17	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thayemyo	20	1	20	1	9	4	...	...	...	...	12	4	12	4	9	6	14	10	14	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tenasserim Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein Town & Amherst	9	0	9	0	9	0	...	...	...	...	11	8	11	8	9	0	13	8	13	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	12	13	12	12	6	21	0	21	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	6	15	6	13	3	17	11	17	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	10	0	10	10	12	13	12	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shwaygyin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	9	11	9	9	6	15	9	13	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sulween	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HYDRABAD & SINDH DISTRICTS.	Secunderabad	15	2	15	15	14	13	...	...	...	7	8	7	14	7	14	11	11	11	11	10	8	19	7	19	7	17	12	...	...
	Bolarum	16	9	17	8	15	15	...	...	...	8	13	8	13	9	0	10	12	9	9	10	4	21	0	21	0	19	5	...	...
	Chudderghat	12	8	12	12	13	0	7	8	7	8	7	8	9	8	9	8	19	0	21	0	21	0	17	8	20	0	...
	Amraoti	19	12	19	4	22	0	8	0	8	0	9	0	10	0	10	0	23	4	23	2	25	0	13	0	16	0	...
	Akola	20	0	21	0	21	0	8	5	8	5	8	5	10	0	10	0	24	0	24	0	26	0	16	0	
	Ellichpur	19	0	19	0	18	0	5	8	5	8	7	0	7	12	7	12	7	12	7	12	10	0	12	10	0	23	12			

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RATES OF 80 TOLAHS.															AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.		
Millet, Rasi, (Karni, Versa, Chona, Coraloo, wa, Nigree), Pasi, Misacum, &c.					Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.				Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.
Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Wholesale.			Retail.						
								Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.				
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R. a. p.	R. a. p.	R. a. p.
...	...	86 0	86 0	35 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	14 8	14 8	13 8	14 0	14 0	13 8	5 2 0	5 8 0	12 2 0	
...	...	25 0	24 0	29 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	15 8	15 8	15 4	15 0	15 0	14 12	6 8 0	6 8 0	16 8 0	
...	...	26 0	27 0	29 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	14 8	14 14	14 12	14 0	14 8	14 4	6 0 0	5 0 0	15 0 0	
...	...	32 0	31 0	34 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	12 8 0	
...	...	31 0	32 0	33 0	90 0	90 0	80 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	15 0 0	
...	...	32 0	31 0	35 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	15 8	15 8	15 0	15 0	15 0	14 12	6 0 0	6 0 0	14 0 0	
...	...	36 0	33 0	32 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	15 0	15 0	14 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	
...	...	33 0	32 0	34 0	100 0	90 0	90 0	15 4	15 4	15 4	15 0	15 0	15 0	3 0 0	5 0 0	9 8 0	
...	...	31 0	31 0	34 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	16 8	16 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 8	5 8 0	5 8 0	11 0 0	
...	...	33 0	34 0	37 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	15 10	15 8	15 4	15 8	15 4	15 2	4 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	
...	...	33 0	32 0	35 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	16 0	16 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	15 0 0	
...	...	30 0	30 0	32 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	13 8 0	
...	...	35 0	35 0	37 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	25 0	25 0	27 8	25 0	28 12	28 4	6 8 0	6 0 0	17 8 0	
...	...	24 0	26 0	22 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	42 8	42 8	42 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	15 0 0	
...	...	28 0	27 0	22 0	125 0	125 0	125 0	60 0	60 0	60 0	50 0	50 0	50 0	5 10 0	6 0 0	17 0 0	
...	...	37 0	36 0	33 0	113 0	113 0	125 0	61 8	61 8	61 8	58 11	58 11	58 11	11 6 0	8 0 0	22 8 0	
...	...	41 0	39 0	45 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	42 4	41 0	42 4	12 0	12 0	12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	26 0 0	
...	...	27 0	27 0	33 0	102 0	102 0	115 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	25 0	24 0	30 0	100 0	100 0	112 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	23 0	24 0	37 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	
...	...	30 3	31 8	29 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 0	10 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 0	...	...	...
...	...	40 0	40 0	39 0	200 0	240 0	200 0	10 8	10 12	10 0	9 8	10 2	9 8	...	...	...
...	...	31 0	31 0	28 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 12	11 14	11 0	11 0	11 0	10 12	...	...	...
...	...	35 0	40 0	45 0	256 0	256 0	256 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	26 6	26 6	28 0	200 0	200 0	220 0	10 15	10 14	11 0	10 11	10 11	10 12	...	...	...
...	...	30 12	30 12	31 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	11 11	11 7	11 0	11 7	11 5	10 8	...	...	...
...	...	28 0	28 8	27 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 14	11 14	11 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...
...	...	20 2	20 2	23 15	160 0	160 0	160 0	13 12	13 12	14 14	11 15	11 15	14 0	...	...	...
...	...	23 0	23 8	26 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	11 11	11 11	10 8	11 3	11 2	10 0	...	...	...
...	...	26 4	26 0	31 0	160 0	200 0	200 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	...	...	...
...	...	20 0	20 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	110 0	12 15	12 15	12 8	10 11	10 11	12 0	...	...	...
...	...	22 8	22 8	22 12	120 0	120 0	150 0	12 5	12 5	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 12	...	...	...
...	...	23 0	23 6	25 0	540 0	...	360 0	11 0	11 8	...	11 0	11 2	11 0	...	...	...
...	...	23 12	25 0	24 12	150 0	180 0	159 0	11 4	11 4	11 0	11 0	11 0	10 8	...	...	...
...	...	28 3	28 8	26 0	...	...	275 0	11 2	11 3	10 0	10 11	10 11	9 12	...	...	...
...	...	19 7	19 7	23 0	80 0	64 0	64 0	11 3	11 13	10 8	10 9	11 5	10 0	...	...	...
...	...	29 5	27 8	42 8	160 0	160 0	120 0	8 0	9 0	...	8 0	...	9 0	...	...	...
...	...	16 0	19 8	16 8	125 0	120 0	125 0	12 4	11 6	8 0	11 6	10 8	7 0	...	...	...
...	
...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	35 0	35 0	40 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	12-0 to 15-0	10-0 to 12-0	15-0 to 20-0	
...	...	4 0	4 0	4 0	50 0	50 0	50 0	...	...	...	36 0	36 0	30 0	10 0 0	15 0 0	30-0 to 60-0
...	469 11	469 11	...	...	...	...	...	39 0	22 13	...	...	...
...	...	18 9	18 9	20 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	50 10	50 10	50 11	29 3	29 2	23 10	25 0 0	12 0 0	30 0 0	
...	...	10 1	10 1	10 0	46 9	46 9	16 9	29 2	29 2	7 7	26 14	26 14	6 3	22 0 0	12 0 0	30 0 0	
...	...	8 14	8 14	8 14	535 11	535 11	535 11	...	...	...	25 1	25 1	23 5	22 8 0	13 0 0	30 0 0
...	...	17 12	17 12	15 9	167 9	167 9	139 11	32 4	32 4	27 5	18 10	18 10	18 10	17 8 0	13 8 0	45 0 0	
...	...	13 8	13 8	13 12	289 7	331 10	277 8	28 6	28 6	22 7	25 5	26 12	26 2	15 0 0	14 0 0	40 0 0	
...	183 8	183 8	183 8	29 9	29 9	29 9	29 9	29 9	29 9	15 0 0	12 0 0	22 0 0	
...	...	16 13	16 13	18 3	181 8	181 8	147 10	50 0	50 0	39 6	44 6	44 6	35 7	20 0 0	10 0 0	30 0 0	
...	...	18 7	18 7	13 13	246 0	245 0	245 0	25 5	25 5	25 5	14 3	14 3	18 15	15 0 0	12 0 0	30 0 0	
...	...	18 8	18 8	11 1	220 0	220 0	220 0	30 15	30 15	30 8	30 8	30 8	20 15	25 0 0	12 0 0	25 0 0	
...	399 3	399 3	399 3	24 2	24 2	24 2	16 1	16 1	16 1	15 0 0	15 0 0	30 0 0	
...	428 0	428 0	428 0	30 6	30 6	36 8	29 3	29 3	29 3	15 0 0	12 0 0	30 0 0	
...	...	11 7	11 7	7 0	27 0	27 0	24 0	27 1	29 6	23 0	18 12	18 12	14 1	10 0 0	14 0 0	45 0 0	
...	160 0	150 0	150 0	35 0	33 13	35 6	18 14	14 2	18 14	15 0 0	12 0 0	60 0 0	
...	
...	...	21 7	14 2	15 2	125 0	125 0	120 0	10 11	10 8	10 11	10 3	10 0	10 3	5-0 to 7-0	5-0 to 7-0	13-0 to 19-0	
...	...	15 8	16 14	18 3	116 14	116 14	116 14	...	...	...	10 10	10 12	10 9	...	...	...
...	...	13 8	15 0	18 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	9 12	7 8 0	8 0 0	15 0 0
...	...	19 2	19 12	20 0	...	...	75 0	12 8	12 8	13 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	5 0 0	7 0 0	15 0 0
...	...	20 0	20 0	18 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	
...	...	18 0	17 0	16 0	123 0	123 0	64 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	5 10 0	7 8 0	22 8 0
...	...	24 0	26 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 8	6 0 0	7 0 0	15 0 0
...	...	18 0	18 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 8	5 14 4	7 3 6	17 6 11
...	...	24 11	25 0	20 0	83 0	111 0	64 0	11 11	12 0	11 0	10 11	11 3	10 0	...	...	...

* No wholesale salt sold.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT THE PROVINCE.

PROVINCE.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER BUNDEL.																							
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Choum, Jowar), Holcus Sorghum.			Bairush Millet (Gumma, Bhojra), Pennisetum.								
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
MYSORE.	Bangalore	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 4	12 8	12 3	8 12	9 1	10 5	10 8	9 12	11 5	20 8	22 1	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kolar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tāmkūr	13 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mysore	10 0	10 0	10 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shimoga	13 10	13 10	12 10	14 11	14 11	14 11	13 10	13 10	12 10	15 12	15 12	16 13	23 23	22 3	22 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kadur	12 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	18 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Coorg	9 5	9 2	8 13	8 14	9 7	10 4	11 15	12 14	12 3	15 5	16 1	17 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jeypore	19 0	18 0	16 0	25 0	24 0	20 8	6 0	6 0	5 12	9 0	9 0	7 8	28 0	30 0	21 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0
	Kishengurh	20 12	20 8	17 0	27 0	27 4	22 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	25 12	31 0	19 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0
	Kerrowlee	19 6	19 6	18 4	25 0	25 0	23 3	15 0	15 0	10 0	16 4	16 4	11 4	26 4	26 4	23 3	22 5	22 5	22 5	22 5	22 5	22 5	22 5	22 5	22 5
RAJPUTANA.	Udaipur	22 4	22 0	17 13	29 5	28 12	22 11	6 12	6 12	7 7	12 0	12 0	10 5	30 13	32 1	32 1	12 24	12 24	12 24	12 24	12 24	12 24	12 24	12 24	12 24
	Bharatpore (City)	21 10	21 4	17 11	29 0	29 5	22 15	7 2	7 2	8 9	8 0	9 3	28 6	28 14	21 0	29 4	29 4	29 4	29 4	29 4	29 4	29 4	29 4	29 4	29 4
	Ajmer	18 0	18 0	15 0	27 0	25 0	21 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	28 0	28 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0
	Deoli Cantonment	22 6	24 6	22 8	31 2	31 14	29 12	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	9 4	36 0	36 10	26 8	33 0	33 0	33 0	33 0	33 0	33 0	33 0	33 0	33 0
	Erinpura	19 8	20 8	16 0	30 0	31 8	24 3	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 12	22 0	23 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0
	Sirohee	18 0	18 0	14 8	28 0	28 0	25 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	19 0	19 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0
	Alu	16 0	16 0	13 8	28 0	28 0	20 8	6 4	6 4	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Anadra	18 0	18 0	14 12	25 4	25 0	23 4	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balmere	18 2	18 2	13 8	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	5 0	8 8	8 8	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jaisalmer	12 12	13 12	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 12	...	12 0	12 4	...	26 0	26 0	...	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0
CENTRAL INDIA.	Hilly Tracts of Meywar	24 0	26 0	18 0	33 0	31 0	20 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Meywar (Oodeypore)	22 10	22 10	18 5	28 2	28 10	25 0	10 2	10 2	9 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rānawāra (Meywar Agency)	30 0	31 4	23 12	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 0	16 4	16 4	16 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Partabgarh (Meywar Agency)	25 0	25 14	19 11	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	9 6	12 8	12 8	11 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Marwar (Jodhpore)	17 12	17 12	15 0	23 0	22 8	20 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	7 12	7 8	22 0	25 0	17 12	21 14	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0
	Bikaner	14 6	14 6	13 1	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 12	6 0	6 0	6 14	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0
	Boondee	26 0	30 0	26 0	35 0	48 0	40 0	8 0	9 0	7 8	8 8	9 8	8 0	38 8	50 0	37 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kotah	29 0	30 0	26 0	40 0	40 0	35 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	38 0	40 0	35 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0
	Tonk	33 0	33 8	21 0	30 0	31 0	28 4	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	38 8	53 8	42 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jhalawar	27 11	28 0	25 9	33 4	32 2	37 12	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	10 31	39 9	39 9	34 4	42 2	11 23	11 23	11 23	11 23	11 23	11 23	11 23	11 23
CENTRAL INDIA.	Shahpore	25 2	25 4	20 0	34 0	35 2	26 15	9 0	9 0	9 0	11 4	11 0	12 0	34 0	32 8	24 0	21 4	41 9	41 9	41 9	41 9	41 9	41 9	41 9	41 9
	Dholpur	20 3	20 8	17 10	30 15	30 6	23 10	10 2	10 2	9 0	12 2	12 2	10 2	31 12	31 8	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0
	Indore	21 8	21 8	19 8	28 0	30 0	...	9 0	9 0	9 3	10 0	10 0	10 0	27 0	28 0	25 4	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1
	Gwalior	18 15	20 1	18 4	28 1	28 5	21 15	7 14	8 2	7 9	10 1	10 1	9 15	25 0	26 0	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1	42 1
CENTRAL INDIA.	Goena	27 0	28 8	28 0	25 0	25 0	21 0	10 8	10 8	8 0	11 8	11 8	9 0	38 0	38 0	35 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0
	Baghelkhand (Sutna)	25 0	25 0	20 6	35 0	35 0	36 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	17 12

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PERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.

Millet, Ragi, Katara, Vataru, Chana Coraio, Pasa, Nettle, Pasa, etc.					Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.						Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.
Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.			Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Wholesale.			Retail.						
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* Eight pies per bundle.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE STATEMENT OF PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD GRAINS FOR THE 1st HALF OF JUNE 1886, PUBLISHED IN PAGES 1124 AND 1125 OF THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA," DATED 11th JULY 1885.

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* In the returns previously submitted, the Tabalidor did not use the price of best rice but of rice a little better than the common coarse rice, the error has now been rectified.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XIII of 1885-86.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 5TH JULY 1885.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 4TH JULY 1885.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL TO 5TH JULY 1885.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL TO 4TH JULY 1885.		Total Increase in 1884-85.	Total Decrease in 1885-86.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>
First 4 days of July 1885	Oudh and Rohilkhand	547	84,013	154	608	91,080	151	16,41,557	218	17,35,934	210	94,377	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Sind, Punjab, and Delhi	706	2,11,784	300	706	2,43,186	344	29,66,787	307	40,65,872	424	10,99,085	...
First 4 days of July 1885	Madras	861	1,46,468	170	861	1,42,340	165	19,42,473	165	18,87,514	162	...	54,959
First 4 days of July 1885	South Indian	654	1,07,579	164	654	1,03,463	158	12,49,441	139	12,34,893	138	...	14,548
Ditto ditto	Great Indian Peninsula	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	61,12,99,151	596	61,10,53,543	568	...	2,45,608
Last 10 days of June 1885	Bombay, Baroda, and Central India	461	1,68,054	365	461	1,49,186	324	41,04,569	649	41,04,438	656	...	131
4th July 1885	TOTAL	3,229	7,17,893	222	3,290	7,30,155	222	2,32,03,978	361	2,40,82,194	370	8,78,216	...
	<i>State.</i>												
First 11 days of July 1885	East Indian	1,509	7,07,111	469	1,515	8,32,740	550	1,21,51,949	587	1,33,60,764	650	12,14,815	...
Last 10 days of June 1885	Eastern Bengal	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)11,49,400	379	(c)10,73,723	354	...	75,737
Ditto	Nalhati	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)21,801	62	(c)17,504	50	...	4,297
Ditto	Northern Bengal	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)5,05,888	158	(c)4,83,919	150	...	21,939
Ditto	Kaunia-Dhara	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)33,152	80	(c)36,862	77	...	3,710
Ditto	Tirhoot	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)3,65,759	146	(c)3,54,078	121	...	11,681
First 11 days of July 1885	Patna-Gya	67	7,994	140	67	7,085	123	1,18,266	151	1,25,995	162	7,729	...
Last 10 days of June 1885	Cawnpore-Achnera	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)2,13,309	80	(c)2,22,033	69	9,331	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Dildarnagar-Ghaziipur	12	447	37	12	657	71	17,804	105	16,534	102	...	770
11th July 1885	Rajputana-Malwa (g)	1,260	2,05,171	163	1,411	2,97,000	210	40,41,588	234	45,25,339	236	4,83,751	...
First 4 days of July 1885	Wardha Coal	45	5,718	127	45	6,671	148	1,63,666	265	1,35,031	221	...	28,635
Ditto	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	149	10,564	71	149	15,526	104	5,20,713	255	5,12,224	253	...	8,489
Ditto	British Burma	249	32,693	131	327	34,480	99	6,13,500	221	5,60,960	166	...	52,540
First 11 days of July 1885	Sindia	73	6,541	87	75	5,962	79	1,01,189	102	95,458	94	...	5,731
Ditto	Punjab Northern	447	70,170	157	447	66,979	150	8,31,545	135	11,56,937	190	3,25,392	...
First 4 days of July 1885	Indus Valley	660	1,32,957	201	660	2,30,765	350	20,32,223	224	34,60,585	386	14,28,362	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Amritsar-Pathankot	66	4,617	70	66	5,181	79	47,807	53	62,687	92	84,880	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Bareilly-Pilibhit	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(e)19,265	43	19,265	...
27th June 1885	Narainganj - Dacca	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(f)24,570	189	24,570	...
Last 10 days of June 1885	Mywensingh	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(f)5,198	18	5,198	...
20th June 1885	Kokilamukhi	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	3,020	4,76,872	158	3,249	6,63,468	205	1,07,77,140	200	1,29,00,502	228	21,32,362	...
	GRAND TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE)	7,758	19,01,876	245	8,054	22,31,363	277	4,61,33,067	333	5,03,58,460	351	42,25,893	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,16,82,541	156	2,41,72,061	169	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,44,50,626	177	2,61,86,399	182	17,35,873	...
	<i>Assisted Companies.</i>												
Last 10 days of June 1885	Bengal Central	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)1,52,145	93	(c)1,60,171	98	8,026	...
27th June 1885	Rohilkhand and Kumaon	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(e)67,002	79	67,002	...
First 4 days of July 1885	Assam	70	4,327	62	78	5,192	67	51,641	53	63,532	60	11,891	...
Last 10 days of June 1885	Southern Mahratta	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)13,465	25	(c)1,74,400	63	1,60,935	...
Ditto	Bengal and North-Western	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)25,192	27	(c)3,48,026	88	3,22,834	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Taraknagar	...	...	...	22	4,831	220	...	...	73,605	246	73,605	...
	TOTAL	70	4,327	62	100	10,023	100	2,42,443	74	8,85,736	88	6,44,293	...
	<i>Native States.</i>												
Last 10 days of June 1885	Bhavnagar-Gondal	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(b)1,66,490	186	(c)3,50,594	140	...	1,15,996
First 11 days of July 1885	Jodhpur	44	1,027	23	64	8,021	47	14,877	46	42,620	49	27,743	...
27th June 1885	Nizam's	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(d)2,77,503	181	(e)3,04,993	200	27,490	...
27th ditto	Mysore	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	(d)19,735	76	(e)98,440	57	16,705	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Rajpura-Patials	...	...	16	...	465	29	...	...	11,829	64	11,829	...
	TOTAL	41	1,027	23	80	3,486	44	8,38,605	188	8,06,476	144	...	32,129

N.B.—As regards the figures in column "Total receipts from 1st April 1885 to date," audited figures have been availed of as far as possible.
(a) Return not received.
(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1884.

(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1885.
(d) Total receipts from 1st April to 29th June 1884.
(e) Total receipts from 1st April to 27th June 1884.
(f) Total receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1885.
(g) Including Mewar-Ferozepore State Railway.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

No. 170 Accounts and Finance, dated 20th June, 1885.
Stores

From—The Government of India,
To—The Secretary of State for India.

In continuation of our Despatch of the 28th April, 1884, No. 117, we have the honour to forward, in original, returns showing the expenditure on stores for the year 1883-84, and the extent to which articles of Indian manufacture were substituted for stores imported from England for the public service in India during the year.

2. A classified abstract, compiled from these returns, is appended to this Despatch. For facility of comparison, the figures for the year 1882-83 have also been entered in the abstract.

3. The figures in column 4 of the abstract show that considerable progress has been made in the substitution of Indian manufactured stores for imported stores, such substitution having been 80 per cent. larger in 1883-84 than in 1882-83. At the same time we think it necessary to say that the figures cannot be taken to be absolutely accurate, although no doubt they afford a tolerably fair indication of the progress made by Indian industry in supplying the wants of the public service.

4. The principal articles are the following :—

Building and engineering materials, Rs. 44,474.—Cement made in India forms an important item under this head, the value of cement purchased being Rs. 37,782.

Cabinetware and furniture, Rs. 26,271.—The Rajputana-Malwa State Railway purchased articles to the value of Rs. 21,082.

Canvas, Rs. 78,211.—The principal items composing this amount are—

	Rs.
Rajputana-Malwa State Railway (paulins)	44,761
Tirhoot State Railway (paulins)	31,959

Under this head a saving of Rs. 3,041 is said to have been effected by the Tirhoot State Railway.

Chemical products and drugs and medicines, Rs. 1,08,363.—The most important items composing this amount are—

	Rs.
Bengal Medical Department	13,230
Madras Medical Department	37,318
Bombay Medical Department	18,519
Government of Bengal	8,860
Total	1,07,927

By substituting the chinchona febrifuge for quinine, a saving was effected during the year to the extent of nearly Rs. 2,37,939 in the Presidency of Bengal alone. The financial result of the use of the febrifuge in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay has not been ascertained.

Coal and Coke, Rs. 15,86,047.—The largest consumers of country coal and coke were—

	Rs.
Public Works Department, North-Western Provinces ...	14,526
Public Works Department, Bengal ...	27,016
Public Works Department, Punjab ...	13,497
Wardha Coal State Railway ...	38,693
Nagpur-Chhattisgarh Railway ...	1,13,877
Rajputana-Malwa State Railway ...	13,33,281
Government of Bengal ...	9,167
Mint Master, Calcutta ...	5,296
	<hr/> 15,55,383

Cordage and rope of vegetable fibre, Rs. 38,598.—The consumption of locally made articles of this class has increased from Rs. 14,517 in 1882-83 to Rs. 38,598 in 1883-84. Further improvement may be expected under this head.

Cotton, linen, and silk goods, Rs. 1,26,281.—There was an increase of over Rs. 50,000 under this class of articles as compared with the preceding year. The principal items were—

	Rs.
Bengal Commissariat Department ...	29,259
Madras Commissariat Department ...	15,931
Settlement of Port Blair ...	35,910
Government of Bombay ...	9,191
Rajputana-Malwa State Railway ...	23,580

There was a saving of Rs. 22,754 in the Bengal Commissariat Department and Rs. 1,270 in the Madras Commissariat Department by using country-made sheeting.

Hardware and cutlery, Rs. 56,293.—The most noticeable items are—

	Rs.
Government of Madras ...	12,257
Government, North-Western Provinces, Public Works Department ...	14,309
Rajputana-Malwa State Railway ...	12,559

Leather and leather goods, Rs. 1,75,207.—Boots made at Cawnpore of the value of Rs. 1,40,670 were purchased by the Army Clothing Department, Bengal. The transaction resulted in an estimated saving of Rs. 21,018, as shown below :—

Articles.	Actual cost in India.	Estimated cost if obtained through India Office.	Estimated saving.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Boots, ankle ...	1,13,033	1,32,691	19,658
Ditto, knee ...	22,231	20,273	4,042
Ditto, Wellington ...	5,406	5,724	318
	<hr/> 1,40,670	<hr/> 1,64,658	<hr/> 24,018

Malt liquor, Rs. 20,98,676.—In 1882-83 the cost of Indian-brewed beer amounted to Rs. 18,21,835. The increase in the year 1883-84 is due to the extended issue of Indian beer to the regiments in Northern India and in Madras. A saving of Rs. 7,72,763 is estimated by the issue of Indian beer in

1883-84 in Bengal. In the return for Madras, however, a loss amounting to Rs. 4,845 is exhibited out of a transaction of Rs. 1,03,282.

Machinery, Rs. 22,960.—The Public Works Department in British Burma purchased locally made machinery of the value of Rs. 16,604, principally consisting of boring apparatus, capstans, mortar mills, and road rollers.

Metals, Rs. 5,96,606.—The important items are—

Brass.—Ordnance Department, Bengal, Rs. 47,200; Public Works Department, Bengal, Rs. 20,310.

Copper.—Military Works Department, Rs. 5,050.

Iron.—Telegraph Department, Rs. 1,44,740; Public Works Department, North-Western Provinces, Rs. 72,175; Assam, Rs. 9,074; Bombay, Rs. 6,991; British Burma, Rs. 47,757; Bengal, Rs. 33,116; Rajputana-Malwa State Railway, Rs. 18,977; Tirhoot State Railway, Rs. 1,22,583.

Oils, Rs. 1,50,003.—Compared with 1882-83, the consumption of oil of Indian manufacture increased in 1883-84 by Rs. 1,32,672.

Paper and pasteboard, Rs. 3,79,060.—The chief purchasers of articles of this class are the Governments of Bengal (Rs. 3,55,427), Madras (Rs. 5,505), and Bombay (Rs. 16,507).

In the year under review there was a total increase of Rs. 12,218 and a saving of Rs. 35,650. Arrangements are being made by the Government of Madras to procure printing paper from the Bally Paper Mills.

Scientific instruments and apparatus, Rs. 84,000.—This amount is composed of the following principal items:—

	Rs
Mathematical Instrument Department ..	17,243
Indian Telegraph Department	17,522
Medical Department, Bengal ..	25,247
Medical Department, Madras ..	19,401

There was a saving under this head of Rs. 12,012.

Stationery, Rs. 4,946.—By the use of country-made writing ink a saving of Rs. 1,090 was effected in the Presidency of Madras.

Tools and plant, Rs. 2,33,811.—Locally made articles of this class are being largely used by most of the Departments concerned.

Wood: articles made of, Rs. 9,85,217.—In 1882-83 local purchases amounted to only Rs. 2,62,166.

Woollen goods, Rs. 1,01,854.—As far as can be ascertained, there was an estimated saving under this head of Rs. 35,194. The principal consumers of woollen goods were—

	Rs.
Commissariat Department, Bengal ..	42,047
Commissariat Department, Madras ..	34,973
Port Blair ..	18,711
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	95,731

Abstract statement compiled from the annual returns of expenditure on stores for the year 1883-84, referred to in paragraph 24 of Financial Resolution No. 185, dated 10th January 1885.

1 Description or class of stores.	2 Value of stores imported through the Secretary of State.		3 Value of European stores purchased in India under paragraph 4 of Resolution No. 185, dated 10th January 1885.		4 Value of stores manufactured in India and utilised for stores hitherto imported through the Secretary of State.	
	1882-83.	1883-84.	1882-83.	1883-84.	1882-83.	1883-84.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Agricultural implements ...	...	1,730	10,560	9,791	...	5,155
Apparel ...	5,24,717	38,200	3,878	8,671	...	684
Arms ...	1,81,773	436,297	5,812	...	...	...
Building and engineering materials	45,209	4,201	1,21,880	2,11,007	83,018	41,474
Cabinetware and furniture ...	...	9,291	...	16,392	...	26,271
Canvas ...	72,961	44,923	1,19,683	34,296	1,270	78,211
Chemical products and drugs and medicines ...	1,77,795	1,82,251	13,905	13,526	97,251	1,08,363
Coal and coke, &c. ...	61,018	49,666	5,44,246	12,14,905	3,54,824	15,86,917
Cordage and rope of vegetable fibre ...	1,512	...	36,894	19,104	14,517	38,598
Cotton, linen, and silk goods ...	59,106	1,75,147	89,723	2,12,242	75,927	1,26,281
Earthenware and porcelain ...	1,04,171	66,728	2,238	1,981	2,351	1,269
Glass and glassware ...	12,591	31,298	8,510	12,321	1,002	19
Hardware and cutlery ...	1,19,115	65,969	1,78,711	1,19,361	60,159	56,203
Hemp ...	...	287	5,998	1,100	5,678	4,070
Hides and skins ...	4,149	6,871	4,615	13,797	2,795	2,970
Leather and leather goods ...	2,79,508	8,30,015	7,536	26,027	20,289	1,75,207
Liquors—						
Malt liquor ...	9,79,108	5,89,000*	...	5,273	18,21,835	20,98,676
Wines and spirits ...	5,531	3,727	...	9,908	...	78
Machinery ...	18,60,668	18,49,348	1,09,021	2,17,891	15,691	22,960
Metals—						
Brass ...	4,815	55,000	3,691	9,627	1,25,957	69,162
Copper ...	5,631	41,379	61,049	69,782	19,977	5,959
Iron ...	38,59,363	39,37,792	12,09,439	17,09,285	3,39,676	5,06,810
Lead ...	8,768	618	1,809	17,242	...	20
Steel ...	13,30,795	30,90,640	9,16,416	5,27,531	...	...
Tin ...	...	9,282	41,232	16,896	...	23
Zinc ...	9,001	29,915	18,237	7,531	...	416
Undistinguished ...	4,09,172	7,22,502	...	1,25,983	...	13,816
...						
Paints and colours ...	4,319	11,390	32,066	49,431	17,331	1,59,003
Paper and pasteboard ...	1,598	1,51,297	49,118	1,21,619	...	1,001
Pier and fire ...	9,73,308	18,22,396	1,61,192	92,767	3,66,842	3,79,060
Printing and lithographing materials	61,828	1,22,655	7,231	64,951	...	3,327
Provisions ...	51,814	50,628	...	3,575	...	5,177
Scientific instruments and apparatus	2,18,508	2,87,696	38,090	17,326	1,12,596	81,000
Soap ...	...	...	...	...	2,797	8,590
Stationery ...	3,81,992	3,30,790	...	9,791	...	4,346
Stone and marble ...	...	...	...	25,250	...	7,196
Tallow ...	...	...	2,371	6,252	7,005	8,188
Tools and Plant ...	...	3,13,500	...	4,69,172	...	2,03,811
Wax ...	...	...	3,966	1,800	...	10
Wire, iron ...	6,28,735	2,37,851	5,252	31,179	...	...
Wire, steel ...	1,536	15,891	6,749	7,561	1,593	...
Woolen articles of—	41,485	1,61,554	51,881	52,692	2,62,036	3,65,257
Woolen goods ...	7,28,478	16,77,180	1,02,276	6,828	82,550	1,91,654
Other stores not specified ...	15,43,113	16,14,296	1,07,947	8,14,721	43,954	7,05,186
Total	1,43,90,231	1,40,79,150	10,56,795	65,18,916	39,12,121	70,71,667

* This amount, Rs. 5,27,000, returned by the Commissariat Department, Bombay, under "Liquors" and "Metals" is not distinguished in the above statement.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 29th JULY 1886.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Rain has fallen in varying quantities throughout the Madras Presidency, but more is wanted in Bellary, Tanjore, and Madura. General prospects are fair, and have improved in Bellary and Anantapur; in Madura prospects are reported to be discouraging. Harvesting continues in some districts. From Mysore the reports are less favourable than last week: more rain is much needed for recently sown dry crops and for tanks. Good rain is reported from Coorg, where prospects are satisfactory.

In Bombay good rain has fallen in most districts, but more is wanted in parts of Khandesh, Nasik, Poona, Bijapur, and Sholapur. *Kharif* sowings are in general progress throughout the Presidency, and transplanting operations have commenced in places. There has been rain throughout the Berars, the Nizam's Territories, and the Central India and Rajputana States, and agricultural prospects are on the whole promising.

In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh rain has been abundant, and the prospects of the autumn crop are good. In the Punjab and in the Central Provinces good rain has fallen. *Kharif* sowings are in general progress in the former Province and have been completed in the latter, where transplanting has commenced.

In Bengal good rain has fallen during the week, except in parts of the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions, where more rain is wanted for the transplanting of late rice. The prospects of the autumn crops and of sugarcane are good, and a fair outturn is expected from the early rice and jute harvests, which are in progress in Northern and Eastern Bengal. In Assam the weather is seasonable, and the state and prospects of the crops are good.

In British Burma ploughing, sowing, and transplanting are in progress.

Cholera is chiefly prevalent in the Madras and Bombay Presidencies; in other Provinces the public health is generally fair.

Prices are fluctuating in the Punjab, but are generally steady elsewhere. From Bengal no material change is reported.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(July 29th)		
Bellary ...	19 (average)	More rain required almost everywhere. Standing crops wet moderately good, dry fair, except in two taluks, where caterpillars have appeared: harvest paddy in one taluk, outturn average. Fever in one taluk; 17 deaths from cholera.
Kurnool ...	48 (")	Standing crops good. Small-pox in one taluk and cattle-disease in three: 32 deaths from cholera.
Ganjam ...	151 (")	203 deaths from cholera.
Kistna ...	69 (")	Wet and dry crops sown in many taluks. River 9 feet 6 inches over ancient. Fever and small-pox in parts; 99 deaths from cholera unreported last week, 76 this week.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	104 (")	Standing crops good; harvest paddy in parts, outturn below average. Cattle-disease in two taluks, and fever in one.
Coimbatore ...	15 (")	Standing crops generally good, but <i>cholera</i> and <i>cumboo</i> damaged in parts; harvest outturn generally average. Fever in one taluk; 36 deaths from cholera.
Tanjore ...	17 (")	Rain wanted in parts of four taluks. Standing crops generally good; harvest dry crops, outturn below average. 11 deaths from cholera.
Madura ...	19 (")	Fever prevalent.
Malabar ...	12-14 (")	Transplanting over, except in Wynad. Small-pox in seven, cattle-disease in three, and fever in two taluks; 26 deaths from cholera.
Travancore ...	203 (")	Paddy cultivation progressing. Small-pox and fever prevalent in parts.
Bombay—(July 29th)		
Karachi ...	Nil	River at Kotri on 27th, 19 feet 1 inch against 15 feet 3 inches on same date last year. Rats doing some damage in Shahbandar taluka. Fever and cattle-disease in three talukas. Loss of 37 buffaloes in Ghorabari taluka. Small-pox in three villages in districts. 6 fresh cases, 3 deaths; 171 cases of cholera in the Karachi collectorate, 165 deaths. Prices—wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Karachi 26, 36 and 32; in Ghorabari 22, 38 and 36; in Sehwan 40, 40 and 44; and in Mirpur Botoro, 24, 48 and 42 pounds per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Nil	River at Kotri on 27th, 19 feet 1 inch against 15 feet 3 inches on same date last year. <i>Kharif</i> cultivation good and still in progress; slight damage done to <i>bajri</i> , <i>tili</i> , and melon crops in Dero Mohobat taluka by grasshoppers, and by young locusts at different places in Tundo Allahyar taluka; lands adjoining river bank in Halee and Sakrand talukas are under water, and slight damage caused thereby. Fever in one, small-pox in three, cattle-disease in three, and cholera in seven talukas. Wheat 28, <i>juari</i> 42, <i>bajri</i> 40, white rice 20, and red rice 30 pounds per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Ahmedabad ...	3.48	Total rainfall 12.58. Sowing operations progressing, except in Gogha, where they are retarded in consequence of excessive rain. Public health good. Wheat 38 and <i>bajri</i> 32 pounds per rupee.
Baroda ...	5.20	Total rainfall 8.99. Cholera continues in Baroda. Sowing operations going on. <i>Bajri</i> 27, wheat 25, and rice 19 pounds per rupee.
Surat ...	9.67; maximum in Bardoli, 17.74; minimum in Olphad, 6.01.	Total rainfall 16.61. A good fall throughout the district. Sowing and transplantation progressing; young crops healthy; in a few places cotton and <i>juari</i> seeds will be sown again, where there is a break. 1 case of cholera in Jullalpur. <i>Juari</i> 35½ and <i>nagli</i> 41 pounds per rupee.
Nasik ...	1.66; Sinnar, 1.88; Dindori, 2.68; Niphad, .98; Chandor, 1.96; Yeola, 1.05; Malegaon, .58; Nandgaon, .28; Baglan, .48; Kulwan, 1.04; Igatpuri, 14.67; Punt, 9.74.	Transplantation of rice, <i>nagli</i> , and <i>rari</i> progressing in Igatpuri, Punt, and the Dang villages at Nasik and Kulwan; sowing of <i>tasur</i> and <i>kharif</i> crops commenced in Dindori and in parts of Nasik, Sinnar, Niphad, and Yeola; young plants of <i>tib</i> , <i>kulti</i> , &c. flourishing in parts of Baglan. More rain wanted in Niphad, Yeola, Malegaon, Nandgaon, and in parts of Chandor. Want of fodder still felt in the Deoli talukas. Cholera in Nasik, Sinnar, Dindori, Niphad, Nandgaon, and Yeola; 190 attacks, 112 deaths. Wheat 34½, <i>bajri</i> 34, and rice 21 pounds per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Rain every day; total of week, 4.54; being 17.02 below average.	Total rainfall to date 26.56. Abnormal temperature 1° warm on 22nd, 2° warm on 23rd, <i>nil</i> on 24th and 25th, and 1° warm from 26th to 28th; vapour in air slightly in excess of normal; abnormal wind northerly on 23rd, 24th, and 28th; westerly from 25th to 27th; wind normal on 22nd.
Poona ...	Rain in six talukas and slight showers in two; maximum in Maval, 10.6; minimum in Purandar, 1.47.	Sowing operations in progress, but more rain is wanted for the purpose in four talukas. 142 cases of cholera in five talukas, 77 deaths. <i>Bajri</i> 29 and <i>juari</i> 36, in Poona <i>bajri</i> and <i>juari</i> 33 pounds per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Akola, 2.32; Sheogaon, 1.91; Sangamner, 1.07; Parner, 1.04; Newasa, .96; Jankhed, .77; Karjat, .74; Nagar, .43; Kopergaon, .34; Shrigonda, .27; Rahuri, 17.	<i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress in forty-five villages of Nagar, forty of Kopergaon, parts of Shrigonda, Sheogaon, Karjat, Jankhed, and in poor soils only in Parner, Newasa, Rahuri, and Sangamner, and in the Deohi portions of Akola; sowing finished in eight or ten villages and in parts of about twenty-five others of Karjat; crop, where it has sprung up, doing well in Dangi and part of Akola owing to good fall of rain; <i>nagli</i> and rice ready for transplantation; want of fodder in Parner, Kopergaon, Ganjama, and Deohi portion of Akola. 10 head of cattle died in Kopergaon for want of it; cholera—14 attacks and 4 deaths in Nagar; 20 attacks, 3 deaths in Parner; 3 attacks and 3 deaths in Karjat; 82 attacks, 33 deaths in Jankhed; 88 attacks, 47 deaths in Newasa; 46 attacks, 17 deaths in Rahuri; 25 attacks, 13 deaths in Kopergaon, and 14 attacks, 3 deaths in Sangamner; slight cattle-disease in Newasa, Kopergaon, and Sangamner. <i>Bajri</i> from 35 to 45 and <i>juari</i> from 42 to 69 pounds per rupee.
Sholapur ...	Sholapur, .65; Barai, .54; Madha, .27; Karimata, .48; Sangola, .35; Pandharpur and Malsiras, <i>nil</i> .	Sowing of <i>kharif</i> crops in <i>ziarat</i> lands is generally in progress in the Sholapur and Barai talukas, and the state of Akalkot in all the other talukas; it has commenced in parts only, where the moisture was sufficient. The water in wells used for irrigation is failing, and the crops are suffering thereby; a good fall of rain is urgently required. There are as yet no signs of distress. Fodder is becoming scarce in all the talukas, except Sholapur and Barai. <i>Juari</i> 44 pounds 38 tolas and <i>bajri</i> 30 pounds 7 tolas per rupee.
Dharwar ...	Kalghatgi, 2.32; Kod, 2.12; Hargal, 1.96; Mugud, 1.65; Dharwar, 1.35; Bankapur, 1.14; Hubli, .84; Karajgi, .64; Ranibennur, .48; Ron, .38; Navalgund and Gadag, .24; Mundargi, .15; Nargund, <i>nil</i> .	Sowing of early <i>juari</i> in progress throughout the district, except Navalgund, Ron, and parts of Ranibennur, where it is retarded for want of sufficient moisture; rice crops are good, but require heavy showers; season prospects promising. Slight cholera in four talukas. Rice 27 and <i>juari</i> 47 pounds per rupee.
Kanara ...	Karwar, 3.95; Kumpita, 5.50; Sisi, 7.31; Haliyal, 3.04.	Crops thriving. Fever and small-pox in five talukas, and cattle-disease in one, cholera in Haliyal, 2 cases, 2 deaths. Common rice at Karwar 13½ seers, district average 14 seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	8.93	Total rainfall 11.95. General health fair; fever prevalent in some places; small-pox in Julia and Dewani. <i>Bajri</i> 31 and <i>juari</i> 36 pounds per rupee.
General Remarks. —Good rain in most districts; more wanted in parts of Khandesh, Nasik, Poona, Bijapur, and especially in Sholapur. Young crops injured by insects in parts of Hyderabad and Upper Sind Frontier, and by rats in parts of Karachi; scarcity of fodder in parts of Nasik, Sholapur, Ahmednagar, and in Panch Mehals. Cholera in parts of seventeen and fever, small-pox; and cattle-disease in parts of seven districts.		
Bengal—(July 29th)		
Chittagong ...	5.68	Weather reasonable. Cultivation and sowing in progress; early rice being harvested; prospects generally fair. Prices stationary. Cholera continues.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bengal—contd.		
Dacca ..	1.40	Harvesting of early rice and jute proceeding; late rice and sugarcane thriving; rapid rise of water has injured early rice in Manickganj; prospects of crops and public health generally good.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta)	Nil	Prospects of early rice and jute good; transplanting of late rice going on, but in some places retarded by insufficient rain. Price of common rice 13 to 15 seers per rupee. Public health generally good.
Kulna ..	2.28	Weather cloudy and rainy. Early rice doing well; transplanting of late rice continues; prospects favourable. Price of rice remains high. Health good.
Moorsheadabad ..	2.65	Prospects of early rice tolerably good; transplanting of late rice being delayed by scanty rain. Price of rice 12 to 13½ seers per rupee. A few cases of cholera reported from Berhampur town and vicinity, otherwise public health good.
Burdwan ..	.56	More rain wanted for transplanting; prospects good. Price of rice 12 to 14½ seers per rupee. Health good.
Rungpore ..	3.0	Transplanting of late rice and harvesting of early rice proceeding; prospects promising. Price of rice still stationary. Cholera abated; fever and bowel-complaints prevalent. Several shocks of earthquake during last fortnight.
Bhagalpur ..	3.32	Prospects much improved by heavy rain of last two days. Price of rice 12 seers 10 chittacks per rupee. Public health good.
Purneah ..	2.65	Crops promise well; transplanting progressing. Common rice 14 seers per rupee. Health fair. Rivers high.
Patna ..	4.26	<i>Bhadai</i> prospects good; transplanting of <i>murica</i> and paddy seedlings, where ready, going on. Cholera reported from Barh and Behar subdivisions.
Durbhunga ..	4.01	Prospects of <i>bhadai</i> crops very favourable; transplanting of paddy going on. Prices almost stationary. A few cases of cholera reported from Madhohani subdivision.
Hazaribagh ..	2.14	Weather seasonable. Heavy and continuous rain reported from all parts, except Khurukdiha and Jageshwar police stations. Agricultural operations being vigorously pressed on everywhere and all crops promise well. Prices steady. Cholera prevalent in various parts.
Cuttack ..	3.61	Weather partly cloudy and partly sunny. Early and late rice growing well. Prices nearly stationary. Cholera prevails, otherwise public health good.
Midnapur ..	1.85	Prospects generally good, but more rain wanted. Public health fair.
Diugapore ..	1.43	Frequent showers throughout week. Prospects of jute, sugarcane, and <i>bhauai</i> good; transplanting of winter crops progressing. Cases of cholera still reported from three thanas. Average price of rice 14 seers per rupee.
Pubna (Sorajganj) ..	4.96	Crops progressing. Public health good. Price of rice falling. Rivers rising.
Gya ..	4.21	Prospects of crops excellent. Cholera still reported from some parts. Prices not materially changed.
Chumparun ..	2.91	Prospects of crops favourable. Prices stationary. Some cases of cholera reported from the interior and Motihari town.
General Remarks. —Good general rain during the week, except in parts of the Burdwan and Presidency divisions, where more rain is wanted for the transplanting of late rice, elsewhere transplanting is proceeding well; prospects of autumn crops and sugarcane continue to be good; harvesting of early rice and jute progressing in Northern and Eastern Bengal, and a fair average outturn is expected. No material change in prices. Public health generally fair in Bogra, Rungpore, Rajshahye, and Sorajganj. Several slight shocks of earthquake have been felt since the severe shock of the 14th instant.		
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—(July 30th)		
Benares (July 28th)	5.0 (average)	Weather cloudy, and at times oppressively close. <i>Kharif</i> crops coming up well and appear promising; weeding, transplanting, and <i>rabi</i> ploughing in progress. Supplies ample. Prices steady. No sickness of men and cattle.
Gorakhpore (.. 27th)	Local showers	Crops generally promising. Prices rising slightly. Sporadic cholera in south and east of district.
Fyzabad (.. 28th)	Good rainfall	<i>Kharif</i> crops flourishing, and weeding in hand. Public health good; occasional cattle-disease.
Lucknow (.. 27th)	Rainfall at Sadr, 2.5	Weather cloudy. Supplies ample. Prices slightly rising. Condition both of men and cattle good.
Rue Bareilly (.. ..)	3.9 of rain at Sadr during the week.	A break wanted. Crops coming up well. Prices steady. General health good.
Partabgarh (.. 28th)	Rain has fallen in sufficient quantities during the week.	Accounts from all <i>tasils</i> are favourable.
Allahabad (.. ..)	1.6 (average)	<i>Kharif</i> sowings completed; rice transplanting commenced; prospects good. Markets well supplied. Prices stationary. General health of men and cattle good. Sporadic cholera continues.
Cannpore (.. 27th)	Rain in eight parganas during the week.	The young crops promise well, but weeding retarded by heavy rains. Prices steady. Fever in three and cattle-disease in one pargana.
Banda (.. 28th)	Rain good and general	<i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress; prospects continue good. Health good; cattle-disease in one village.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—contd.		
Ballia (July 28th)	1·6	Weather cloudy and rainy. <i>Kharif</i> prospects good. Health good; 13 deaths from cholera.
Farakhabad (" ")	Light rain during the week.	Flood in Kali Nadie subsiding; much damage done to houses; one man and two women still missing, and about 50 head of cattle washed away. <i>Kharif</i> prospects fair, except flooded lands. Prices steady. No sickness.
Sitapur ( " " )	.....	There has been a partial break in the rains. Prospects continue excellent.
Bareilly (" ")	Rain ample ...	Sowings continue. Market fairly steady. Public health good; occasional slight cattle-disease.
Kumaon (" 27th)	.....	Alternate sun and rain, favourable for crops. Some typhoid fever, otherwise health fair; cattle-disease and foot and mouth disease prevalent.
Agra (" ")	Rain in all parganas from 40 to 4·3 during the week.	Sowings continue. Prices steady. Indigo slightly damaged by rain. No cholera.
Jhansi (" 28th)	Good rain	Crops germinating and look well. Prices steady. Some isolated cases of cholera reported, otherwise public health good.
Meerut (" ")	Good rain during the week.	Weather very favourable. Sowings for <i>kharif</i> nearly completed; prospects excellent. Fall in prices of <i>juari</i> , otherwise prices stationary. Health good.
Punjab—(July 29th)		
Hissar (July 28th)	.....	Sky overcast and cloudy. Health fair. <i>Kharif</i> sowings nearly completed. Prices stationary.
Delhi (" ")	1·15	Health fair. <i>Kharif</i> sowings progressing. Prices fluctuating.
Umballa (" ")	2·0	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress; crops doing well. Prices almost stationary.
Jullundur (" ")	30; more wanted	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress. Prices rising.
Ferozepore (" ")	3·2 at city	<i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress. Prices falling.
Amritsar (" ")	1·4	Health and crops good. Prices stationary.
Sialkot (" ")	2·2	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress. Prices stationary.
Lahore (" ")	·90	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings continue. Prices stationary.
Mooltan (" ")	Nil	Crops and health good. Prices almost stationary.
Rawalpindi (" ")	1·3; more wanted	Health good, with exception of a few cholera cases in the Rawalpindi city. <i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress. Prices rising.
Shahpur (" ")	Rain at Miani in tahsil Bhera.	Health good. Prices stationary.
Dera Ismail Khan (" ")	·40	Health good. Prices stationary.
Peshawar (" ")	Nil	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress. Slight rise in prices.
Central Provinces—(July 29th)		
Nagpur ...	1·50; weather rainy	Prospects good. Fever in places. Prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	2·69; weather showery	Crops thriving; agricultural operations progressing favourably. 349 cases of cholera, 197 deaths. Wheat 22 and rice 14 seers per rupee.
Saugor (July 28th) ...	2·14; light rain	Weeding in hand; crops progressing favourably. Health fair. Prices steady.
Seoni ...	1·37	Rain needed for rice transplantation. 12 cases of cholera, 5 deaths, small-pox and cattle-disease abated. Prices unchanged.
Hoshangabad ...	7·82	Weeding continues; prospects fair. 13 cases of cholera, 9 deaths. Prices steady.
Khandwa ...	2·73; weather showery	Prospects favourable. Health good. Prices stationary.
Raipur ...	·85	Weather seasonable; break very beneficial. Transplanting of rice commenced. Cholera disappearing from town, but still virulent in interior. Prices stationary.
Sambalpur (July 25th)	6·58	Weather cloudy, with heavy showers. Prospects favourable. Health good. Prices stationary.
British Burma—(July 29th)		
Akyab ...	9·51	Total rainfall 85·94. Slight cholera in one circle; slight cattle-disease in town. Sowing commenced.
Bassein ...	8·90	Total rainfall 45·13. Sporadic cholera severe in town and two subdivisions; severe cattle-disease of fatal type in most townships. Seedlings planted.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
British Burma—contd.		
Rangoon ...	8.54	Total rainfall 38.44. Public health good; cattle healthy.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	17.54	Total rainfall 48.49. Public health good; cattle healthy. Ploughing progressing.
Pegu ...	4.06	Total rainfall 40.65. Public health good; cattle healthy. Ploughing progressing.
Henzada ...	6.38	Total rainfall 38.97. Slight cholera in one and slight cattle-disease in one township. Seedlings commenced.
Prome ...	1.02	Total rainfall 18.67. Slight cholera in town and three townships, severe in one township; small-pox slight in one; cattle-disease slight in two townships. Ploughing progressing.
Toungoo ...	3.33	Total rainfall 40.14. Cholera slight in three circles; cattle healthy. Ploughing progressing.
Thayetmyo ...	0.10	Total rainfall 15.10. Slight cholera in one subdivision; cattle healthy. Ploughing progressing.
General Remarks. —Cholera severe in one district, slight in nine districts; small-pox slight in one district, elsewhere public health good; cattle-disease severe in one district, slight in six districts, elsewhere health of cattle good. Ploughing, sowing, and transplanting progressing. Rains seasonable.		
Assam—(July 29th)		
Gauhati ...	2.67 of rain during the week ending the 28th instant; more rain wanted in Barpetta.	Weather hot. Fever very prevalent in Kulajar, still prevailing in Luki tahsil; cattle-disease still reported from Pati, Darrang, and Luki tahsils. Gathering of <i>aus</i> finished; transplantation of <i>sali</i> in fair progress; prospects of tea and sugarcane good.
Sylhet ...	0.69	State and prospects of crops good. Fever and cattle-disease still reported.
Cochar ...	4.78	Weather warm. Reaping of <i>dumahi</i> , <i>murali</i> , and transplanting of <i>sali</i> crops progresses. Common rice 14 seers 8½ chittacks per rupee. Tea doing well. Three deaths from cholera from Hailakandi and three from Lakhimpur reported; general health good.
Dibrugarh ...	4.08; weather rainy	<i>Ahu dhan</i> being reaped; <i>sali dhan</i> being transplanted; prospects of tea and other crops good. Public health fair.
Mysore and Coorg—(July 29th)		
Bangalore ...	Slight rain	Reports less favourable than last week; more rain much needed for recently sown dry crops and tanks. Public health fair; cattle-disease continues in parts. Prices stationary.
Mercara ...	8.92	Crops in good condition. No change in prices. Prospects of season and public health good.
Berar and Hyderabad—(July 29th)		
Amraoti ...	2.95	Weather rainy. Crops in good condition. Wheat 22 and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	4.52	Weather cloudy. Crops good; cotton weeding commenced.
Hyderabad ...	2.86	<i>Kharif</i> sowings concluded are being weeded; preparations for <i>rabi</i> sowings commenced. Cholera continues in the city and suburbs, and in Ambarpetta and Shahabad talukas. Prices—wheat 14½, coarse rice 12½, white <i>juari</i> 19, yellow <i>juari</i> 22½, and <i>tur</i> 16 seers per current sicca rupee.
Central India States—(July 26th)		
Indore ...	1.97	Total rainfall 14.55. Prices stationary.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	1.50	Total rainfall 14.77. Health and prospects good.
Sutna ...	4.0	Cholera at Rewah 17 cases, 7 deaths during the week. Prospects of crops good.
Neemuch ...	7.22	Total rainfall 12.94. Weather cloudy. Prospects and health good. Prices stationary.
Goona ...	5.17	Health good.
Agar ...	9.91 during the week	Health and prospects good.
Schore ...	13.52	Total rainfall 25.58. Heavy floods. Crops somewhat injured. Health generally good.
Nowgong ...	3.08	Total rainfall 15.75. Weather seasonable. Health good.
Manpur (Bhopawar) ...	4.0	Total rainfall 17.85. Health good.
Rajputana—(July 29th)		
Abu (July 29th) ...	2.0 during the week	Total rainfall much below average. Weather seasonable.
Sirohi (" 26th) ...	2.81	Tanks full; wells and health good. Crops sowing. Weather cloudy.
Marwar (" 24th) ...	1.30 at Jodhpore	A month's supply reached the city tanks. Health good. <i>Kharif</i> operations in progress. Weather cloudy, warm, more copious rain in districts. Prices stationary.
Kherwara (" 27th) ...	4.08	Tanks and wells filling. Rice sowing commenced. Health good. Prices low. Weather alternately fair and rainy.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Rajputana—contd.		
Meywar (July 25th)	6.83	Tanks and wells filling. Crop prospects good. Health good. Prices low. Weather clearing. Grasses beginning to grow.
Haroti (" ")	Tonk, 3.79; Kotah previous week, 2.29.	Weather cloudy and wet. Sowings approaching completion. Health good. Prices steady.
Jhallawar (" 24th)	5.47; rain plentiful throughout the State.	Health generally good.
Ajmere (" 28th)	1.71	Clear sky. Few cases of cholera, otherwise health good.
Jaypore (" ")	2.28	Strong winds. Prospects favourable. Prices steady. Health fair.
Kerowlee (" 25th)	3.75	Tanks and wells filling. Prospects excellent. Health good. Prices falling.
Dholepore (" ")	.70	Wells and tanks full. Prospects good. Health good. Prices falling. Heat moderate; easterly winds; weather cloudy.
Bhurlpore (" ")	3.67	Tanks and wells full. <i>Kharif</i> operations progressing. Health good. Prices steady. Weather cloudy.
Gilwar (" 28th)	1.02 (average)	Prospects and health good.
Bickaneer (" 25th)	1.0; Sujangarh, 1.50; good rain in districts.	Prospects good. Tanks and wells fair. Small-pox in one tahsil. Prices stationary. Weather hot, with thunderstorms.
Nepal—(July 23rd)		
Khatmandu ...	1.73	Total rainfall 27.92. Rain is now required. Weather very hot. Cholera continues. Transplanting of rice on high lands stopped for want of rain.

E. C. BUCK,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING
LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE
ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 87.

The Council met at the Viceregal Lodge, Simla, on Wednesday, the 29th July, 1885.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.P., G.C.B.,
G.C.M.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., P.C., *presiding*.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, LL.D., K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir A. Colvin, K.C.M.G., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, C.S.I., C.I.E., LL.D.

CENTRAL PROVINCES CIVIL COURTS BILL, 1885.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT introduced the Bill to amend the Law relating to Civil Courts in the Central Provinces, and moved that it be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, the Hon'ble Mr. Hunter and the Mover, with instructions to report within two months.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Central Provinces Gazette* in English and in such other languages as the Local Administration thinks fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

BURMA COURTS BILL, 1885.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Burma Courts Act, 1875, and section 360 of the Code of Civil Procedure, be taken into consideration. He explained that the Report was a very short one, and merely stated that the Bill as introduced had been approved by the local authorities and consequently did not call for any modification.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill be passed.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

NORTHERN INDIA FERRIES ACT, 1878, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. HOPE moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Northern India Ferries Act, 1878. He said:—

“The object of this Bill is to remedy a defect which may almost be described as one of drafting and nothing more, and which experience has brought to light. In section 3 of the present Ferries Act XVII of 1878, the word ‘ferry’ is defined as including a bridge-of-boats and other things; but by some accident

section 13 provides that 'no person shall, except with the sanction of the officer charged with the superintendence of a public ferry, keep a ferry-boat for the purpose of plying for hire to or from any point within a distance of two miles from the limits of such public ferry'; and section 26 imposes a penalty for contravening section 13. The result of this is that, although the definition of 'ferry' is perfectly correct, the penalty clause is only applied to a person who plies a ferry-boat without a license, and it has been found that individuals are sufficiently ingenious to make a bridge-of-boats within the limits of a public ferry, and that they cannot be touched in any way. This defect it is now proposed to remedy; the proposed amendment is undoubtedly in accordance with the intention of the original Act.

"I may here mention a small matter which we intend to take this opportunity of providing for; that is, we propose to take power for leases being given by or with the sanction of the local authorities, otherwise than by public auction and for long terms. This is necessary in order to meet the case of ferries leased to Railway Companies on special agreements for long terms."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 5th August, 1885.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

SIMLA;

The 31st July, 1885.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF NORTH WESTERN PROVINCES FOR THE RABI SEASON 1884-85. (1st OCTOBER TO 31st MARCH.)

No. A.19.—RABI STATEMENT.
IRRIGATION OPERATION OF FASL RABI 1884-85.
Comparative Statement of Irrigation and Rainfall in Canal Districts of the North-Western Provinces.

ZILA.	Area in acres.	Cultivable acres.	AREAS IRRIGATED.		1884-85, AS COMPARED WITH 1883-84.		RAINFALL FOR SIX MONTHS, FROM OCTOBER TO MARCH, 1884-85.												TOTAL.	
			Rabi 1883-84.	Rabi 1884-85.	Increase.	Decrease.	October.		November.		December.		January.		February.		March.			
			Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	1884.	1883.	1884.	1883.	1884.	1883.	1884.	1883.	1884.	1883.	1884.	1883.		1884.
Saharanpur	1,421,686	803,620	61,848	30,123	...	81,795	In. 27	In. 8	In. 1	In. ...	In. ...	In. ...	In. 4	In. ...	In. ...	In. ...	In. ...	In. 68	98,481	
Muzaffarnagar	1,059,904	632,672	127,541	67,085	...	60,456	14	5	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	55	72,688
Meerut	1,522,688	1,068,800	247,881	88,909	...	158,972	11	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	67	...
Bulandshahr	1,225,536	830,464	166,413	72,803	...	93,610	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...
Aligarh	1,251,392	890,088	126,416	92,668	...	33,739	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	...
Muttra	929,728	670,784	63,851	20,142	...	43,709	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...
Agra	1,183,872	747,776	49,174	21,604	...	27,570	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	...
Etah	1,112,832	680,512	83,939	54,750	...	25,189	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	...
Mainpuri	1,086,218	605,888	117,069	76,703	...	40,363	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...
Farukhabad	1,100,032	620,544	51,301	28,715	...	22,586	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...
Etawah	1,083,904	561,216	119,337	66,097	...	23,340	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	...
Cawnpore	1,516,800	872,896	133,237	113,591	...	19,246	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	...
Delhi	805,120	525,440	808	7	...	801	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	...
Gurgaon	1,240,320	993,280	60,364	16,349	...	44,015	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...
Delhra Dén	763,520	67,712	8,983	7,162	...	1,821	12	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	...
Bijnor	1,195,328	613,312	4,802	1,693	...	3,109	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	...
Turai	600,192	176,512	2,532	2,703	...	531	24	265	...
Phibhit	877,824	389,376	6,136	6,442	...	305	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	...
Bareilly	1,033,152	721,472	38,550	39,982	...	1,432	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	...
Jhansi	1,002,752	411,584	460	410	...	250
Hamirpur	1,464,640	826,048	1,285	1,300	...	15
TOTAL	23,477,440	13,728,896	1,471,927	843,701	2,284	630,510

Dated Allahabad, the 9th July 1885.
H. W. CONDUITT,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., N.-W. P. and Oudh, P. W. D.

NET DECREASE 638,226

No. B.19.—RABI STATEMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATION OF FASL RABI 1884-85.

Statement, in Acres, of Crops irrigated in Canal Districts.

Nature of Crops.	Saharanpur.	Muzaffarnagar.	Meerut.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	Muttra.	Aggra.	Eth.	Mainpuri.	Fatehpur.	Bikaner.	Cannore.	Delhi.	Gurgaon.	Dan.	Bijnor.	Tarai.	Philibhit.	Bareilly.	Jhansi.	Hamirpur.	TOTAL.
Gardens and orchards	497	301	867	1,070	617	61	112	258	152	74	70	683	...	38	437	...	...	5	50	3	...	6,396
Sugarcane	10	14	18	11	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	1	...	106
Cereals	27,491	59,894	76,956	52,583	51,850	6,446	10,126	38,248	44,500	14,433	50,787	47,859	3	5,225	4,770	1,124	1,154	3,039	15,245	208	282	512,324
Wheat	606	1,414	4,953	5,630	13,854	2,441	2,832	6,290	10,568	12,172	2,001	38,774	4	880	249	62	273	539	5,523	5	282	108,267
Barley	829	1	830	98	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,359
Oats	...	...	5	72	606	17	23	251	139	4	22	...	...	9	595	...	...	...	...	6	...	1,158
Chena	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other grains	295	92	840	10,197	22,298	6,787	6,482	13,533	17,334	289	37,269	24,357	...	5,852	...	453	1,085	2,135	15,988	75	507	165,773
Pulses	160	501	745	676	1,749	4,182	1,337	260	311	20	873	391	...	4,166	35	27	55	308	966	101	189	16,954
Gram	4	1,513	2,866	1,711	113	7	307	...	213	...	466	411	...	...	38	...	26	79	215	...	...	7,969
Pean	...	...	48	4	23	10	13	17	15	11	...	26	...	1	...	...	...	7	140	...	...	314
Arhar	212	404	100	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	40	187	429	6	...	1,482
Masur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fooder crops	30	264	572	144	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,029
Fibres, cotton, &c.	2	12	18	1	...	25	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82
Dyes, indigo, &c.	...	...	18	353	...	17	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	411
Drugs, opium, &c.	...	...	17	76	319	60	41	461	3,074	1,656	4,319	1,172	...	27	395	...	...	7	142	...	3	11,671
Oilseeds	74	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	543	...	138	116	971	...	...	1,813
Miscellaneous	518	2,591	558	275	1,219	137	312	441	308	46	390	312	...	111	...	27	3	20	409	5	19	7,693
Total, rabi 1884-85	30,123	67,085	88,909	72,803	92,668	20,142	21,004	58,750	76,706	28,715	96,097	113,991	7	16,349	7,108	1,693	2,763	6,442	39,882	410	1,800	843,701
Total, rabi, 1883-84	61,848	127,541	247,831	166,413	128,416	63,831	49,174	83,980	117,069	51,301	119,497	138,237	806	60,264	8,938	4,803	2,233	6,136	38,550	660	1,265	1,471,927

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Dated Allahabad, the 9th July 1885.

No. C.19.—RABI STATEMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATION OF FASL RABI 1884-85.

Statement, in Acres, of Crops irrigated by Canals in Canal Divisions.

NATURE OF CROPS.	UPPER GANGES CANAL.						LOWER GANGES CANAL.						GRAND TOTAL.						
	Northern.	Andyabahr.	Alcenn.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	TOTAL.	Nawara.	Malnupur.	Cawnpore.	Etawah.	Bhagpur.	TOTAL.	Eastern Jumna Canal.	Agri Canal.	Rohilkhand Canal.	Rijnor Canal.	Dea Canal.	Jhansi District.	Hammirpur District.
Gardens and orchards	209	373	445	989	826	2,832	46	188	718	58	38	1,048	614	206	55	...	437	...	...
Sugarcane	16	5	13	16	...	50	...	2	...	1	...	8	6	...	48	...	...	...	...
Cereals	34,781	46,904	35,074	38,072	71,521	224,442	21,068	26,672	29,284	74,420	23,085	174,483	66,874	20,694	19,439	1,124	4,770	282	282
	871	8,461	2,894	4,133	17,335	28,694	2,266	9,794	49,662	681	4,287	65,590	882	6,163	6,340	53	249	292	292

Wheat	...	...	...	11	1,042	1,053	...	26	4	8	21	59	...	40	...	...	595	...	...
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oats	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Grains	11	2,718	72	5,701	40,542	49,044	1,413	2,281	12	44,501	29,426	77,633	417	18,486	19,158	453	...	75	507
Pulses	405	242	118	560	1,969	3,294	59	37	39	370	1,118	1,623	676	9,671	1,329	27	35	101	198
	991	3,819	...	505	...	5,315	...	...	344	692	54	1,090	892	314	320	...	38	...	...
	...	6	...	48	26	80	13	...	46	...	...	59	4	24	147	...	...	...	...
	279	12	50	2	...	343	...	...	...	...	...	...	375	2	656	...	100	...	...
Fodder crops	18	42	305	161	24	550	...	...	...	...	...	...	479	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	7	4	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	49	...	...	...	...	...
Fibres, cotton, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dyes, indigo, &c.	...	347	9	16	...	872	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs, opium, &c.	...	6	2	65	460	523	449	1,729	2,925	5,158	210	10,471	...	129	149	...	395	...	2
Oilseeds	24	...	3	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	127	1	1,115	...	543	...	...
Miscellaneous	2,430	231	110	...	1,884	4,655	54	71	138	449	284	995	1,028	532	431	27	...	...	19
Total, rabi 1884-85	40,125	58,334	39,804	48,434	135,623	321,820	25,358	40,800	82,063	126,317	58,523	333,061	72,727	56,341	49,187	1,693	7,162	410	1,300
Total, rabi 1883-84	61,955	118,492	136,473	134,448	176,504	627,872	39,902	71,801	107,111	157,120	74,209	450,143	159,400	171,864	46,918	4,802	8,983	660	1,285

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No. A.19.—ANNUAL STATEMENT.
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Comparative Statement of Irrigation and Rainfall for Years 1883-84 and 1884-85 in Canal Districts of the North-Western Provinces.

ZILA.	Area in acres.	Cultivated area in acres.	AREA IRRIGATED.										WHOLE YEAR 1884-85.			RAINFALL.		
			KHARIF 1884-85.		RABI 1884-85.		In comparison with kharif 1883-84.		TOTAL AREA.	In comparison with 1883-84.	Percentage of increase or decrease.	1883-84.	1884-85.	Percentage of increase or decrease.				
			TOTAL AREA.	In comparison with kharif 1883-84.	TOTAL AREA.	In comparison with rabi 1883-84.	Increase.	Decrease.										
															Increase.	Decrease.		
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Saharānpur	1,421,696	803,520	52,316	...	5,528	30,123	...	31,725	82,439	...	37,253	-45.2	161	527	+227.3			
Muzaffarnagar	1,050,904	652,673	82,073	...	8,437	67,085	...	60,456	149,158	...	68,493	-46.2	182	427	+131.6			
Meerut	1,622,183	1,068,800	128,114	...	23,020	88,909	...	158,972	217,023	...	181,092	-53.8	178	433	+238.2			
Bulandshahr	1,225,536	830,464	98,413	...	4,678	72,803	...	59,610	171,216	...	98,488	-57.5	168	291	+73.2			
Aligarh	1,251,392	880,083	68,125	...	4,202	92,668	...	38,748	160,793	...	37,950	-23.6	174	519	+198.2			
Muttra	924,728	670,784	29,033	...	2,245	20,142	...	43,709	49,175	...	45,954	-93.4	138	291	+108.6			
Agra	1,183,872	747,776	15,090	...	863	21,604	...	27,570	36,694	...	24,133	-77.5	166	293	+76.5			
Etah	1,112,838	680,512	38,375	...	...	58,750	...	25,189	98,726	...	21,268	-24.5	155	369	+99.4	
Mainpuri	1,096,208	605,898	44,933	...	...	76,706	...	40,363	121,539	...	60,453	-41.5	153	326	+113.1	
Farrukhabad	1,000,732	630,544	21,927	...	...	28,715	...	22,586	50,642	...	22,384	-41.2	180	291	+61.6	
Etawah	1,082,904	561,216	57,928	...	1,858	96,097	...	23,340	154,925	...	25,198	-16.3	174	524	+201.1			
Cawnpore	1,816,890	872,896	62,769	...	8,583	113,991	...	19,246	176,700	...	10,863	-6.0	180	403	+121.9			
Delhi	806,120	625,440	162	...	...	7	...	601	169	...	861	-509.4	137	493	+194.1	
Gurgaon	2,210,320	993,280	28,534	...	1,518	16,349	...	44,015	44,883	...	42,497	-91.7	164	325	+93.4			
Dehra Dón	763,520	67,712	5,301	...	...	7,162	...	1,821	12,553	...	1,723	-13.7	164	817	+130.2	
Bijnor	1,196,324	618,312	2,498	...	...	1,683	...	3,109	4,191	...	2,318	-55.3	212	602	+184.0	
Tarai	600,132	178,512	3,144	...	...	2,763	...	...	5,907	...	...	-2.2	347	656	+89.0
Pilibhit	877,824	389,376	8,316	...	1,953	6,442	...	...	14,758	...	2,259	+15.3	251	400	+59.3	
Barilly	1,033,152	721,472	24,618	...	4,907	39,982	...	1,432	64,640	...	3,975	-5.2	140	671	+377.8			
Jhānsi	1,002,752	411,544	114	...	...	410	...	...	1,412	...	303	-73.5	138	450	+233.3
Hamirpur	1,464,640	826,048	114	...	...	1,300	...	...	1,414	...	41	-2.8	255	508	+97.2
TOTAL	23,477,140	13,728,896	773,315	14,066	68,498	843,701	2,294	630,510	1,617,016	2,389	683,047	-42.1	...	...	...
Net decrease 52,432.									Net decrease 680,658.									
Net decrease 628,226.									Net decrease 680,658.									

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Dated Allahabad, the 9th July 1885.

No. B. 19.—ANNUAL STATEMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE YEAR 1884-85.

Statement, in Acres, of Crops irrigated by Canal Districts.

NATURE OF CROPS.	Saharānpur.	Muzaffarnagar.	Meerut.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	Muttra.	Agm.	Rah.	Mainpuri.	Farrukhabad.	Etawah.	Cawnpore.	Delhi.	Gurgaon.	Dehra Dab.	Bijnor.	Taml.	Pilibhit.	Bareilly.	Jhansi.	Hamirpur.	Total.
Gardens and orchards	1,763	1,228	2,711	2,213	1,453	219	525	842	608	1,754	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,563
Sugarcane	15,732	42,653	63,819	4,193	4,238	315	520	886	3,412	2,938	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	153,852
Rice	28,974	23,300	8,609	161	513	...	22	322	695	1,107	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	92,687
Pajra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Juar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	284
Cereals	466	610	55	849	2,154	992	628	1,093	409	212	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,952
Maize	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,321
Wheat	27,401	50,894	76,954	52,583	51,850	21	80	2,226	353	403	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	512,324
Barley	506	1,414	4,958	5,630	13,654	2,441	2,832	38,218	50,787	47,859	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	108,267
Oats	329	1	330	98	5	...	...	5,270	2,701	38,774	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,359
Chena	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,153
Other grains	1,221	995	5	72	606	17	23	251	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	507
Pulses (kharif)	18	161	1,298	10,256	22,325	6,753	6,506	19,684	38,991	24,408	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	189,463
Gram	160	504	745	676	1,740	4,182	1,337	250	573	391	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	792
Peas	4	1,513	2,976	1,711	113	7	307	311	468	411	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,954
Arhar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,969
Masur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	314
Fodder crops	212	404	100	43	22	10	18	17	15	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,482
Fibre, cotton, &c.	711	2,109	8,681	3,513	377	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,512
Dyes, indigo, &c.	1,088	2,948	8,822	13,174	9,864	10,587	1,430	2,863	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68,791
Drugs, opium, &c.	2,948	8,190	38,397	69,708	48,646	16,486	11,406	30,948	36,554	18,118	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	392,302
Oilseeds	167	42	65	122	324	60	44	468	4,231	1,197	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,235
Miscellaneous	74	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,813
Total	1,167	3,023	998	357	1,431	434	489	1,209	1,851	1,851	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
TOTAL, YEAR 1884-85	82,439	149,158	217,023	171,216	160,793	40,175	36,694	98,726	121,539	50,642	154,025	176,706	168	44,993	12,553	4,191	5,907	14,758	64,600	412	1,414	1,617,016
TOTAL, YEAR 1883-84	119,692	218,051	393,015	269,794	196,743	95,129	65,127	122,093	171,492	73,026	179,223	187,393	1,030	87,380	14,276	6,509	5,777	12,499	67,975	715	1,455	2,297,674

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Dated Allahabad, the 9th July 1885.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE YEAR 1884-85.

Statement, in Acres, of Crops irrigated by Canals in Canal Divisions.

Crops.	UPPER GANGES CANAL.						LOWER GANGES CANAL.						Grand Total.							
	Northern.	Amdahdr.	Meerut.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	Total.	Narora.	Mainpuri.	Cawnpore.	Etawah.	Bhagulpur.	Total.		Eastern Jumna Canal.	Agra Canal.	Rohilkhand Canal.	Bijnor Canal.	Dun Canal.	BENGLURAH IRRIGATION WORKS.	
																			Jhansi district.	Hamirpur district.
Orchards	703	999	1,348	2,012	2,220	7,292	243	514	1,829	838	190	3,614	2,812	802	288	729	4	32	15,563	
Rice	24,249	21,259	38,135	3,722	1,115	86,510	708	1,277	3,766	4,297	511	10,590	41,070	1,010	11,513	659	2	69	153,632	
Rajra	21,783	1,610	8,210	381	926	32,909	11	122	334	1,801	80	2,348	29,149	167	23,943	4,282	14	14	32,687	
Juar	9	36	...	24	31	100	5	4	...	9	3	21	...	4,128	29	...	...	...	9,953	
Maize	144	2,982	1,016	814	3,825	4,639	75	95	172	540	274	1,156	1,559	66	65	34	...	...	20,321	
Wheat	34,781	46,994	35,074	5,159	7,775	16,408	181	408	508	1,032	66	2,185	174,148	20,696	19,439	4,770	299	282	512,324	
Barley	871	3,461	2,994	3,072	71,521	224,142	21,068	26,672	29,234	74,430	23,085	174,148	66,874	6,153	6,340	62	5	292	108,267	
Oats	...	78	202	151	17,365	28,634	2,256	9,794	48,602	651	4,297	65,590	882	329	...	595	...	...	1,359	
Athana	...	...	...	...	4	435	...	...	4	...	21	59	329	40	...	...	6	...	1,158	
...	1,350	2,918	427	5,734	40,679	51,108	1,455	2,506	139	45,007	29,426	79,133	872	18,531	19,224	516	75	507	169,966	
...	149	16	242	...	75	482	...	...	15	...	...	15	...	6	...	...	...	...	792	
...	406	242	118	560	1,969	4,294	59	37	39	370	1,118	1,693	676	9,671	1,320	27	101	198	16,954	
...	991	3,819	...	505	...	5,315	...	...	344	692	54	1,090	892	314	147	38	...	...	7,969	
...	...	6	...	48	26	80	13	...	46	...	...	89	...	24	...	...	...	...	314	
...	279	12	...	...	...	343	...	...	...	...	...	...	375	2	656	100	6	...	1,482	
...	474	2,289	4,65	3,300	...	10,752	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,780	...	...	...	...	...	15,512	
...	710	2,910	8,47	12,564	13,160	32,816	279	226	22	684	105	1,326	6,248	26,365	12	6	...	...	66,701	
...	2,147	30,225	18,224	55,919	65,182	171,697	18,031	26,077	37,979	54,627	38,158	174,872	6,985	38,534	214	...	...	...	392,392	
...	...	23	17	112	456	678	472	1,772	2,981	5,163	314	10,603	221	129	150	...	...	2	12,935	
...	24	...	3	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	127	1	1,115	...	...	...	1,813	
...	2,480	232	110	62	2,213	5,047	797	1,085	1,145	1,669	1,385	6,091	2,556	1,083	431	83	5	19	15,315	
...	91,498	120,011	112,228	131,245	223,917	688,939	45,054	70,615	127,159	192,128	98,977	534,833	166,407	128,002	85,265	4,151	412	1,414	1,617,016	
...	112,135	182,987	220,497	222,914	273,457	1,011,990	54,532	106,989	157,414	231,704	101,481	663,890	277,388	245,300	89,251	6,509	715	1,455	2,237,674	
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* In common use.

† At the present time the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Cutwa 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers, and Banooange 15-5 seers.

‡ At Bishenpore the retail price of salt was 15 seers per rupee.

§ In the interior the retail price of salt ranges from 10 to 15-5 seers per rupee.

INDIA.

NCE AND COMMERCE.

DIA FOR THE 1st HALF OF JULY 1885.

SEKRS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale.			Retail.			Districts.	Provisions.
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		15 8	16 10	26 0	80 0	80 0	68 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 4	13 4	13 4	13 4	Poma	
		14 8	14 8	21 12	100 0	100 0	100 0	13 8	13 8	11 11	13 0	13 0	11 0	11 0	Sholapur	
		16 4	16 14	20 13	116 8	116 8	116 8	14 9	15 5	13 12	13 13	14 9	13 2	13 2	Bijapur (Bajalkot)	
8 22 0	26 1	12 8	13 0	21 0	70 0	70 0	60 0	13 0	14 0	11 8	12 8	13 8	11 0	11 0	Sitara	
0 22 0	31 0	13 0	13 0	21 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	9 8	9 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	Belgaum	
															Dharwar (Hubli)	
0 20 0	19 0	16 0	15 0	13 0	213 5	213 5	213 5	12 8	12 8	12 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	No returns received	
0 22 13	20 0	22 13	22 13	22 13	160 0	160 0	160 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 4	15 4	15 4	15 4	Ratnagiri	
		9 5	9 5	9 5	65 5	65 5	65 5	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	Kanara (Karwar)	
0 16 0	17 8	17 11	17 11	16 5	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 10	14 10	14 6	14 5	14 5	14 9	14 9	Panch Mahals (Godhra)	
		20 6	20 4	15 14	137 8	137 8	137 8	14 8	14 8	13 8	14 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	Aden	
		28 4	29 0	23 0	180 0	180 0	170 0				13 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	Asirgarh	
		30 8	31 0	21 4	90 0	90 0	90 0	14 13	16 0	16 0	14 0	15 11	15 0	15 0	Baroda	
0 60 0	55 0	22 12	16 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 13	12 13	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12	Dasa	
0 10 8	10 0	19 8	20 0	19 0	85 0	85 0	90 0	17 8	17 8	17 11	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	Nimach	
0 26 0	20 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	14 12	14 12	15 0	14 12	14 12	14 8	14 8	Nasirabad	
		23 0	22 0	19 12	130 0	130 0	220 0	14 0	14 0	14 4	13 8	13 8	14 0	14 0	Rajkot	
		24 0	24 0	26 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	14 12	14 12	14 12	14 12	14 12	14 12	14 12	Upper Sindh Frontier	
					160 0	160 0	160 0								Karachi	
															Hyderabad (Nakur)	
															Shikarpur	
															Sukkar	
															Tiar and Parkar (Umarkot)	
Prices per and. of 40 seers.																
R a. p. R a. p. R a. p.																
		19 0	17 8	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	2 15 0	2 15 0	2 15 7	13 0	13 5	13 5	13 5	Western Districts.	
		17 8	17 8	18 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 1 3	12 12	13 0	13 0	13 0	Burdwan	
		20 0	20 0	19 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 2 6	12 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	Banooorah	
		16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	2 14 0	12 8	13 8	13 12	13 12	Beerbhoom	
		16 0	16 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	2 13 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	13 9	Midnapore	
		17 8	17 12	18 0	80 0	90 0	80 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	Hooghly	
															Howrah	

d In Colaba the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

e In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 14 seers and Jehanabad 13-5 seers.

B

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																							
PROVINCE.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar). Holea Borghum.			Bairbh Millet (Cumbon, Bawar). Zanicularia Spina.								
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.						
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.					
BENGAL—continued.	Central Districts.																								
	Calcutta	16 2	18 0	16 0	16 8	19 8	20 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	9 12	9 12	13 0	15 1	14 4	...	17 0	17 0	15						
	24 Pargunnahs	15 4	14 8	14 8	20 0	17 12	17 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	16 12	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nudda	16 12	16 12	17 4	20 0	22 16	20 0	10 10	11 6	12 5	11 6	12 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	15 0	15 4	16 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 0	13 0	14 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Meershedabad	17 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	12 12	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinagapore	16 0	16 0	14 8	...	...	13 0	12 0	12 0	14 8	13 8	13 8	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rajshahye	17 4	17 4	...	18 4	24 0	24 6	10 0	10 8	12 0	10 8	12 0	12 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rungpore	20 0	14 10	20 0	...	...	...	13 8	10 0	11 7	11 8	10 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bogra	16 8	16 8	16 14	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	9 12	13 8	13 8	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pabna	18 12	18 12	24 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 4	12 12	13 2	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Harjeeling	9 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	10 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Jalpaiguri	17 0	18 0	10 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	11 8	12 0	11 0	13 8	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	
BENGAL—continued.	Eastern Districts.																								
	Dacca	15 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	32 0	28 0	13 5	13 5	12 10	14 8	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Furzedpore	16 0	16 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	34 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Naokergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	13 0	13 12	13 0	...	...	...	11 12	12 12	12 0	15 8	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong	16 0	16 0	14 8	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Naokholly	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tipperah	14 10	14 8	15 4	...	...	...	13 4	13 5	15 4	14 10	14 4	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 13	11 8	13 5	12 4	13 5	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BENGAL—continued.	Behar.																							
		Patna	21 0	21 0	20 0	23 8	23 8	21 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	15 0	15 0	14 0					
Gya		17 9	17 12	16 0	23 0	23 0	21 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shahabad		18 8	19 0	18 8	23 0	23 8	22 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	12 8	13 0	13 0	22 0	...	...	20 8	21 0	22				
Darbhanga		19 0	16 0	17 9	26 0	19 8	18 11	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	14 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muzafferpore		18 0	18 0	17 0	23 0	23 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sarun		15 0	19 0	18 12	24 0	23 0	22 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	15 8	12 8	26 0	26 0	24 0	...	...	...			
Chumparan		26 0	18 0	16 0	24 0	23 0	23 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mouglar		18 0	19 4	19 6	23 1	23 1	21 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 8	12 9	13 1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur		17 11	18 15	17 10	22 4	25 4	20 8	10 11	11 6	12 0	12 12	12 10	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
BENGAL—continued.		Purneah	18 0	19 0	18 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	14 0					
		Maidah	19 0	20 0	19 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	13 8	15 0					
	Bonthal Pargunnahs	16 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 8	15 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Orissa.																								
	Cuttack	13 8	14 7	15 12	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 2	13 2	13 2	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pooree	15 12	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	11 13	13 2	13 2	17 1	17 1	18 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balasore	17 0	18 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	21 0	22 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.																								
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																								
	Hazaribagh	14 10	14 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	12 8	13 0	12 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lohardugga	13 0	14 0	13 0	16 0	17 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Singbhum	20 0	20 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aspibhum	13 0	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	17 0	17 0	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	

- f In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Barasat and Bussirhat 15 seers; Diamond Harbour—Mangrahat 10-8 seers and Kulpihat 12-8 seers, Barrackpore 12 seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
- g In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koochta 23 seers, Moharpore 10-10 seers, Choochanga 13 seers, and Ranaghat 13-14 seers.
- h In the sub-divisions of Bakhira and Bagirhat the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
- i In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt was Jhemda and Narail 12 seers, Magobra 10-12 seers, and Bongoug 13 seers.
- j In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 10-8 seers, Jangpore 11 seers, and Kandi 13 seers.
- k The retail price of salt at Raigunge 11-8 seers and at Nithpore 10 seers per rupee.
- l In Newgung the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
- m In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Salbada 11-8 seers, Nilgamar 12 seers, and Karigram 13 seers.
- n In Berangunge the retail price of salt was 12-8 seers per rupee.
- o The retail price of salt at Kureoug 8 seers per rupee and at Silliguri 10 seers.
- p The retail price of salt at Palakota in Alipura sub-division was 9 seers per rupee.
- q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonshigunge 12 seers and 13 chittanks, and Harangunge 12-15 seers.
- r In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goolundo 12 seers, and Madaripore 12-9 seers.
- s In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patnakhali 10-10 seers, Potezopore 11 seers, and Bhola 10-8 seers.
- t In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishargunge 10-10 seers, Atad 12 seers, Jangpore 11-8 seers, and Metrokone 13-8 seers.

INDIA FOR THE 1st HALF OF JULY 1885—continued.

SEWERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

At Milla, Rapt, Ac., Karn, Veragu, Sawa, Jama, Chalo, Murh, Nagla, Pomicum Mileum, &c.										Gram.				Firewood.				Salt.												Districts.												Provinces.
Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fortnight of 1884.				Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fortnight of 1884.				Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.						Retail.																
																				Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.												
S. Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.			S. Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.			S. Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.				S. Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.			R. a. p. R. a. p. R. a. p.				S. Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.		S. Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.		S. Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.																					
...	...	...	19 0 19 0	18 10	90 0	90 0	100 0	90 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	0 13 4	13 4	13 0	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	21 5 21 5	22 1	100 0	100 0	90 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	0 12 13	13 0	13 13	24 Pergunnahs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	16 0 16 0	16 0	160 0	180 0	180 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	0 12 11	11 10	11 10	Nuddea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	17 8 17 8	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 1 0	8 1 0	8 1 0	0 11 12	11 12	10 12	Khoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	22 8 22 8	24 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	0 10 10	11 6	11 9	Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	16 0 16 0	16 8	140 0	120 0	160 0	8 2 0	8 2 0	8 2 0	0 12 8	12 8	12 0	Moorshedabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	19 3 19 3	22 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	8 2 8	8 3 8	8 3 1	0 12 0	12 0	13 9	Dinagore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	22 8 22 8	20 0	110 0	110 0	100 0	3 0 0	3 0 1	3 4 0	0 13 5	13 0	11 15	Rajahmhye	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	17 14 17 14	19 11	90 0	90 0	60 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	0 10 8	10 8	12 0	Rangpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	16 8 16 8	23 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	0 12 6	12 6	12 6	Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	19 0 19 0	8 0	120 0	140 0	100 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	0 8 0	8 0	8 0	Pubna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	10 0 10 0	...	128 0	128 0	128 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	0 12 4	12 4	13 4	Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	16 0 16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	16 8 16 8	19 0	120 0	90 0	90 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	0 13 5	13 5	12 10	Eastern Districts.				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
...	...	...	16 0 16 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	0 12 0	12 0	13 0	Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	17 0 17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 11 0	0 13 0	13 0	13 0	Farrukpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	15 4 15 4	15 8	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	0 13 8	12 8	12 8	Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	14 0 14 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	4 0 0	0 12 0	12 0	9 8	Mymensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	16 14 16 14	16 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	0 13 8	12 4	12 0	Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	14 0 14 0	14 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	0 8 0	8 0	6 8	No return received Tipperah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	21 0 21 0	24 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	0 12 4	12 0	10 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	20 8 20 8	19 12	240 0	200 0	200 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	0 11 0	11 0	11 0	Hill Tipperah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	21 0 21 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	0 13 0	13 0	12 0	Behar.				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Patna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	19 12 19 12	20 15	160 0	160 0	165 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 1 6	11 8	13 0	12 8	Durbhunga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	20 0 20 0	20 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	0 12 0	12 0	13 0	Mozafferpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	20 0 20 0	21 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 3 0	3 3 6	3 4 0	0 11 0	11 0	11 0	Saran	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	19 0 19 0	19 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	0 12 0	12 0	11 8	Champaran	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	20 0 20 0	24 2	126 0	126 0	126 0	2 14 6	2 14 6	2 15 6	0 13 3	13 9	12 9	Monghyr	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...														
...	...	...	19 9 19 9	22 1	151 8	164 0	151 8	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	0 12 12	12 10	13 10	Bhagalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	17 0 17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 18 6	0 11 11	11 0	10 12	Purneah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	21 0 21 0	23 0	160 0	180 0	160 0	3 4 0	3 8 9	3 2 0	0 12 0	11 0	12 0	Maddab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	18 0 18 0	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	3 8 6	3 14 0	3 8 0	0 11 0	10 5	11 0	Southal Pergunnahs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	Orissa.																
...	...	...	15 12 15 12	22 5	80 0	80 0	80 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	0 14 0	14 0	14 0	Cuttack	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	15 12 15 12	17 1	80 0	80 0	84 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	0 11 4	16 0	16 0	Pooree	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	15 0 15 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 8	0 10 0	10 6	10 8	Balasore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	OHOTA NAGPORE.																
...	South-Western Frontier Agency.																
...	...	...	18 0 18 0	15 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 18 0	0 10 0	10 7	10 0	Hazaribagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	28 0 28 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	0 9 0	9 16	9 0	Lohardugga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	13 0 13 0	13 0	360 0	360 0	180 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	0 8 0	8 0	8 0	Singbhoom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	14 8 14 8	15 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 9 0	0 10 10	10 10	10 10	Maubhoom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

a In Cox's Bazar the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.

b In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Brahmanberiah 13 seers, and Chandpore 12-8 seers.

c In Aurangabad the retail price of salt was 4-5 seers per rupee.

d In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Buxar 11-8 seers, Basseeram 12 seers, and Bhabhahy 11 seers.

e In the sub-divisions of Madhubani and Patna the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

f In the sub-divisions of Hajipur and Seelampur the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

g In the interior the retail prices of salt ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee.

h In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers and Jaimi 12 seers.

i In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhubani 10-5 seers, and Soopole 11 seers.

j In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishengunge 10-5 seers, and Arraoah (at Kishengunge) 12 seers.

k In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Doughur 13 seers, Goida 11 seers, and Raour 12 seers.

l In Manduk the retail price of salt was 8-10 seers per rupee.

m The retail price of salt at Chattri 9 seers, and at Kharagahia 12 seers per rupee.

n The retail price of salt at Daltongunge 9-6 seers per rupee.

o In Govindpore the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

Buxar—continued.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

		QUANTITIES PER-RIPE																							
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Oat Millet (Chalum, Jowar, Holcus Borghum).			Bairush Millet (Chumbo, Dura, Panicularia Spina).								
Districts.		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.			
PROVINCE.		S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.		
ASSAM.	Sylhet	13	8	13	8	12	12	...	...	...	13	0	13	0	17	8	17	8	16	0	...	...	...
	Cachar	10	10	10	10	10	0	...	...	16	0	9	6	9	0	12	4	13	5	14	7	15	0
	Goalpara	15	0	18	0	20	0	...	...	...	...	8	0	8	0	10	10	13	0	12	0	11	7
	Okro Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	0	6	0	8	0	9	0	9	0	14	0
	Kamrup	16	0	16	0	13	0	...	...	...	...	9	0	9	0	11	0	15	0	18	0	16	0
	Darrang	7	0	7	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	3	0	8	0	11	0	11	0	11	0
	Nongong	8	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8	5	8	8	0	12	0	13	0	16	0
	Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0	9	0	8	0	12	0	14	0	14	0
	Lakhimpur	11	0	11	0	9	0	...	...	10	0	11	0	11	0	8	0	13	0	12	0	11	0
	Khas & Jaintia Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	16	6	0	6	8	10	0	10	0	11	0
N.W. PROVINCES.	Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0	4	0	4	0	8	0	8	0	6	0
	Delra Dón	21	0	21	0	17	8	32	0	32	0	25	0	6	8	6	8	6	8	11	0	12	0		
	Subarnapur	22	8	23	10	21	0	35	5	35	5	28	11	6	9	6	9	7	8	12	14	12	14		
	Muzaffarnagar	22	8	23	10	21	0	35	5	35	5	28	11	6	9	6	9	7	8	12	14	12	14		
	Meerut	21	8	22	12	20	0	35	0	35	0	25	0	6	8	6	8	6	8	14	0	14	0		
	Bulandshahr	24	0	24	8	20	4	34	0	35	0	25	0	6	0	6	0	10	0	10	8	9	10		
	Aligarh	21	4	22	8	19	4	30	0	35	0	26	0	6	0	6	0	11	8	11	0	9	4		
	Kanun	15	0	17	0	13	0	17	0	17	0	16	0	10	0	11	0	8	0	11	0	12	0		
	Gorhwal	18	0	18	0	15	0	22	0	22	0	17	8	8	0	8	0	10	0	10	0	13	0		
	Bijnor	21	6	21	6	17	12	33	12	34	4	23	11	4	11	4	8	7	14	1	14	1	9	4	
OUDH.	Moradabad	22	12	23	12	19	0	33	8	35	0	25	8	10	8	9	0	14	0	14	8	11	8		
	Budgam	21	8	22	8	19	12	36	0	36	0	25	12	6	0	4	12	9	9	13	3	13	3		
	Barilly	22	3	21	14	18	7	27	8	29	6	35	5	6	4	6	4	5	0	11	14	12	13		
	Shahjahanpur	21	8	23	0	22	0	32	0	36	0	31	0	8	0	8	0	8	4	16	8	16	8		
	Tarai Pergunnah	25	0	25	0	20	10	40	0	40	0	30	0	7	8	7	8	15	0	15	0	11	4		
	Muttra	20	8	21	0	18	0	30	0	31	8	23	0	7	8	7	8	15	0	15	0	11	4		
	Agra	20	0	20	0	17	8	29	0	29	8	22	8	5	0	5	0	10	0	10	0	10	0		
	Barakhabad	20	2	21	5	20	10	27	5	30	7	28	12	5	6	5	8	7	0	12	12	14	5		
	Mathura	22	2	21	7	20	0	27	6	28	4	24	8	4	8	4	8	4	0	11	0	13	8		
	Etawah	21	8	21	12	19	8	27	0	27	4	25	0	5	8	6	0	12	8	12	12	11	0		
PUNJAB.	Fatehpur	23	8	23	6	20	11	30	0	30	8	26	5	8	0	7	0	7	10	18	0	17	0		
	Jalaun	22	0	23	0	23	0	28	0	26	0	24	0	9	0	9	0	11	0	11	0	10	0		
	Jhansi	23	10	23	14	22	1	31	12	32	0	25	9	8	0	7	0	16	0	16	0	12	0		
	Lalitpur	24	4	24	8	26	0	38	0	38	0	36	0	10	0	12	0	15	0	16	0	11	0		
	Cannore	21	0	22	4	20	8	23	8	30	0	27	8	9	0	9	0	13	8	14	0	12	0		
	Fatehpur	19	12	19	12	19	0	27	0	27	0	25	8	9	0	9	0	16	0	16	0	13	0		
	Banda	22	0	22	0	24	0	31	0	31	0	34	0	8	0	8	0	14	8	13	0	12	0		
	Almora	19	12	20	2	18	8	27	8	27	8	26	0	7	12	8	0	8	0	13	12	14	0		
	Jaunpur	21	9	21	1	20	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	0	9	0	14	0	14	0	10	8
	Gorakhpur	19	8	21	0	20	6	24	8	25	0	26	1	7	0	7	0	7	1	14	0	11	8		
PUNJAB.	Basti	25	0	25	8	19	0	29	0	30	0	23	0	10	0	10	0	8	12	14	8	15	0		
	Azamgarh	20	8	20	10	17	11	28	12	28	12	25	15	10	6	10	5	10	5	13	4	13	4		
	Mirzapur	20	0	20	0	17	0	24	0	24	0	23	0	8	0	8	0	14	0	14	0	13	0		
	Banars	18	11	19	12	18	7	25	0	25	0	23	5	9	12	8	15	13	9	14	13	12	7		
	Ghazipur	20	9	20	9	18	10	25	14	25	14	23	13	6	7	6	7	11	9	13	8	11	0		
	India	19	4	19	4	18	0	24	8	25	12	21	8	11	13	11	4	12	12	12	12	14	2		
	Phuliblit	22	12	22	8	18	12	37	8	37	8	30	0	12	8	13	4	10	0	14	0	16	4		
	Almora	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sultanpur	24	0	23	0	21	0	30	0	30	0	28	0	11	0	11	0	11	0	18	0	15	0		
	Faridkot	25	8	23	3	21	0	35	8	32	3	29	0	15	8	15	11	13	13	18	0	17	11		
PUNJAB.	Fyzabad	20	0	20	0	18	10	25	4	26	0	24	0	9	8	10	0	8	0	14	0	15	0		
	Kheri	28	8	28	6	22	8	40	0	40	0	32	8	10	0	10	0	7	0	16	0	16	0		
	Lucknow	20	12	21	7	20	9	28	10	28	14	28	24	6	0	6	0	14	8	14	6	12	0		
	Bera Banki	21	0	22	0	21	0	28	0	29	0	27	0	6	0	7	0	6	0	12	0	12	0		
	Bahraich	24	0	24	0	22	0	35	0	35	0	30	0	16	0	16	0	12	8	19	0	14	0		
	Rai Bareilly	23	0	23	0	21	0	30	0	30	0	27	0	17	8	17	0	14	4	14	0	11	0		
	Sitapur	24	10	25	4	23	8	37	13	38	14	34	8	8	0	8	0	18	0	18	0	13	0		
	Gonda	24	4	24	6	22	4	28	0	31	2	29	6	14	4	14	0	12	4	16	0	16	8		
	Lahore	21	8	22	0	21	8	28	0	28	0	27	0	8	0	10	0	8	0	14	0	15	0		
	Murdoi	22	11	24	0	21	0	33	0	35	0	30	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	13	0	13	0		
PUNJAB.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bissar	20	0	22	0	17	0	30	0	32	0	24	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rohituk	22	0	22	0	19	0	32	0	34	0	23	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gurgaon	24	0	25	0	19	0	34	0	36	0	25	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dellhi	24	0	23	0	19	0	33	0	34	0	23	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Karnali	25	6	27	0	20	0	44	0	45	0	26	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lahalla	27	0	29	0	22	0	30	0	44	0	28	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Simla	19	0	18	0	16	0	20	0	23	0	20	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kangra	22	0	21	0	18	0	30	0	32	0	26	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hoshiarpur	28	0	28	0	26	0	39	0	40	0	34	0		
Jalandur	27	0	27	0	26	0	40	0	46	0	34	0			
PUNJAB.	Ludhiana	27	0	28	0	25	0	34	0	40	0	30	0		
		
		
		
		
		
		
		
	
										

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Gram.					Firewood.			Salt.									Districts.			PROVINCES.
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...	13 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	13 0	13 0	11 0	Garo Hills			
...	160 0	160 0	160 0	Kamrup			
...	120 0	120 0	120 0	Darrang			
...	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nowgong			
...	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sibsagar			
...	80 0	80 0	80 0	2 15 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	13 8	13 0	10 0	...	...	...	Lakhimpur			
...	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	8 0	8 0	3 0	...	...	...	Khasi & Jaintia Hills			
...	Naga Hills			
...	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	11 8	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	Debra Dán			
...	27 15	150 8	150 8	123 0	11 8	12 14	13 24	11 4	12 54	12 14	...	...	...	Saharanpur			
...	25 5	132 0	132 0	132 0	11 8	12 2	12 10	11 0	11 10	12 2	...	...	...	Muzaffarnagar			
...	26 8	110 0	110 0	110 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	Morot			
...	27 8	160 0	160 0	120 0	11 0	11 10	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bulandshahr			
...	26 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	11 8	13 8	12 8	10 8	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	Aligarh			
...	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	Kumoun			
...	10 0	280 0	280 0	280 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 8	...	...	...	Gorhwal			
...	21 15	135 0	135 0	135 0	...	...	...	9 9	10 2	11 8	...	...	...	Bijnor			
...	25 8	125 0	125 0	125 0	11 2	12 12	13 10	11 0	12 8	13 8	...	...	...	Moradabad			
...	26 6	192 0	192 0	192 0	10 31	11 6	11 11	9 94	10 124	11 6	...	...	...	Budoun			
...	23 12	125 0	125 0	137 8	10 10	11 4	12 8	10 0	10 10	12 3	...	...	...	Bareilly			
...	27 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 8	13 4	13 0	9 0	10 8	11 4	...	...	...	Shahjahanpur			
...	22 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 6	10 0	10 14	9 2	9 8	11 10	...	...	...	Tarai Pergunnahs			
...	28 8	140 0	140 0	120 0	22 8	12 0	13 8	12 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	Muttra			
...	27 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	13 0	11 0	13 8	11 0	10 0	13 0	Agra			
...	25 9	140 0	140 0	125 0	10 84	11 0	12 10	10 4	10 64	12 0	Farnkhabad			
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...	26 0	120 0	115 0	100 0	10 0	9 0	13 0	9 0	8 0	12 0	Etawah			
...	24 8	140 0	140 0	131 0	11 0	10 4	12 5	10 8	10 10	12 13	Math			
...	32 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Jalaun			
...	27 18	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	12 8	11 12	10 0	11 8	10 12	Jhansi			
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...	26 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	12 8	13 8	13 8	12 0	13 0	13 0	Cawnpore			
...	27 12	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 12	10 4	11 0	9 8	10 0	10 12	Fatehpur			
...	35 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 4	12 0	11 0	11 0	11 8	11 0	...	...	...	Banda			
...	27 0	120 0	130 0	120 0	10 12	11 4	13 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	Allahabad			
...	28 11	140 0	140 0	140 0	11 13	11 13	10 8	11 2	11 0	9 8	Hamirpur			
...	24 0	155 0	155 0	130 0	11 0	11 0	10 12	9 9	9 9	10 10	Jampur			
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...	25 0	160 0	160 0	120 0	9 8	10 0	10 4	8 8	9 0	8 0	Basti			
...	22 14	177 8	177 8	147 8	11 12	11 13	9 14	11 2	11 2	9 14	Azimgarh			
...	23 9	100 0	100 0	100 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	Mirzapur			
...	22 8	100 0	100 0	100 0	11 4	10 11	10 11	10 2	9 134	9 134	...	...	...	Benares			
...	23 8	128 12	128 12	128 12	11 9	11 9	11 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	...	...	...	Ghazipur			
...	22 8	100 0	100 0	100 0	11 12	11 12	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 12	...	...	...	Balia			
...	25 0	150 0	150 0	150 0	12 12	13 0	13 0	12 0	12 8	12 8	...	...	...	Philibhit			
...	No return received.	...	...	...	...	...	Almora			
...	28 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 12	12 12	12 0	12 8	12 8	11 12	...	...	...	Saltanpur			
...	24 8	200 0	207 0	173 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	11 5	10 12	...	...	...	Partabgarh			
...	29 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	...	...	...	Fyzabad			
...	24 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 8	11 0	10 8	...	...	...	Kheri			
...	26 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	10 8	11 8	11 0	...	...	...	Lucknow			
...	28 0	170 0	170 0	160 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	Bara Banki			
...	29 8	200 0	200 0	200 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	11 0	...	...	...	Bahraich			
...	30 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 24	12 1	12 8	11 104	11 11	12 0	...	...	...	Rai Bareilly			
...	28 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	Sitapur			
...	28 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	Gonda			
...	29 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	12 0	10 8	8 0	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	Unao			
...	Hardui			
...	31 0	100 0	110 0	120 0	12 0	13 0	11 8	11 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	Hissar			
...	29 0	100 0	80 0	100 0	11 8	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	Bohtak			
...	30 0	130 0	130 0	140 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gurgaon			
...	27 0	80 0	90 0	90 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	Delhi			
...	33 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 4	12 8	12 6	11 0	12 4	12 4	...	...	...	Karnal			
...	31 0	140 0	140 0	180 0	14 4	14 0	14 0	13 12	13 12	14 0	...	...	...	Unthilla			
...	20 0	70 0	71 0	80 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	Simla			
...	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	14 8	14 8	14 8	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	Kasagra			
...	30 0	100 0	110 0	120 0	14 8	14 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	13 12	...	...	...	Hoshanpur			
...	32 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	14 8	14 8	14 12	14 0	14 0	14 4	...	...	...	Jailundar			
...	30 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	14 8	14 8	14 8	Ludhiana			

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGH

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FOR THE 1st HALF OF JULY 1895—continued.

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Price Current.
Rawalpindi under barley (present fortnight) insert 48.
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PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGH

		QUANTITIES PER																																											
		Wheat.						Barley.						Rice (best sort).						Rice (common).						Great Millet (Chaurh, Jowar), Hoious Sorghum.						Bulrush (Cannah, Penna)													
DISTRICTS.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.		Present fortnight.		Past fortnight.		Corresponding fortnight of 1884.									
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MYSORE.	Bangalore	11	10	11	12	11	14	10	12	11	4	12	13	8	11	8	13	10	8	9	8	10	8	11	8	20	12	20	8										
	Kolar	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	8	11	0	13	0	10	0	10	0	13	0	12	0	12	4	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tumkur	12	8	13	0	14	0	12	0	12	0	13	0	10	0	10	8	14	0	11	8	11	0	15	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mysore	10	0	10	0	10	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8	10	0	11	0	11	0	11	0	12	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shimoga	12	10	13	10	13	10	14	11	14	11	14	11	13	10	13	10	14	10	15	12	15	12	17	14	20	6	23	2	22	9	6	...	...	...	...					
	Kadur	12	0	12	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	11	0	16	0	16	0	15	0	18	0	18	0	17	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
COORG.	Coorg	No return received																																											
	Jeypore.	19	0	19	0	16	12	25	0	25	0	22	8	6	0	6	0	6	0	9	0	9	0	8	0	26	0	28	0	22	0	23	0	23	0	23	0								
RAJPOOTANA.	Kishengurh	20	8	20	12	17	0	26	8	27	0	22	4	9	0	9	0	9	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	25	8	25	12	19	0	22	0	22	0	22	0								
	Kerrowlee	18	12	19	6	18	0	25	0	25	0	24	6	12	8	15	0	9	12	15	0	16	4	10	0	25	0	25	0	22	8	23	12	23	12	23	12								
	Ulwur	20	6	22	4	17	15	28	1	29	5	22	9	6	12	6	12	7	7	10	8	12	0	10	5	29	6	30	13	19	13	22	2	22	1	22	1								
	Bharatpur (City)	20	8	20	10	17	6	28	14	29	0	22	10	7	0	7	2	7	5	8	0	8	0	9	4	23	7	28	6	21	0	27	6	29	6	29	6								
	Ajmere	18	8	18	0	14	8	25	8	27	0	20	8	3	0	3	0	3	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	24	0	28	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	20	0								
	Deoli Cantonment	22	12	22	6	23	5	32	1	31	2	30	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	0	10	0	9	4	33	4	36	6	28	0	33	0	33	0	33	0		
	Erinpura	19	8	19	8	16	1	30	0	30	0	24	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	8	7	8	7	12	22	0	28	0	28	12	20	4	20	4	20	4		
	Sirohee	17	0	18	0	13	8	29	0	28	0	24	0	6	8	6	0	6	0	8	0	8	0	7	4	13	0	19	0	18	0	21	0	22	0	22	0								
	Abu	15	8	16	0	13	4	23	0	23	8	20	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	8	0	8	0	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	0	17	0	17	0		
	Amudra	18	0	18	0	14	10	25	4	25	4	23	0	6	8	6	8	6	8	8	8	8	8	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	0	18	0	18	0		
	Udhmer	18	2	18	2	13	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8	5	8	5	8	8	8	8	8	6	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	0	31	0	31	0
	Jayashmere	12	8	12	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8	9	12	...	...	12	0	12	4	...	...	24	0	25	0	...	...	19	8	19	8	19	8
	Hilly Tracts of Meywar	25	0	24	0	17	0	38	0	38	0	20	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	0	13	0	13	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Meywar (Oodeypore)		31	7	22	10	18	5	28	2	28	2	25	0	9	12	10	2	8	9							
		Banawara (Meywar Agency)	30	0	30	0	25	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	12	7	8	10	0	17	8	16	4	16	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barthargurh	24	11	25	0	19	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6	9	8	8	12	12	8	12	8	11	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Marwar (Jodhpore)	17	4	17	12	15	0	23	12	23	0	20	0	5	0	5	0	5	0	6	12	7	8	7	8	25	0	22	0	17	8	21	4	21	4	21	4							
CENTRAL INDIA.	Bikaner	13	12	14	6	11	12	...	...	...	...	...	3	12	3	12	3	12	6	0	6	0	6	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	0	18	0	18	0	
	Boondice	26	0	26	0	27	0	37	8	35	0	38	8	8	0	8	0	7	8	8	8	8	8	0	38	8	38	8	34	12	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	Kotah	27	0	29	0	26	0	35	0	40	0	35	0	7	0	7	8	7	0	7	8	7	0	8	0	37	0	38	0	35	0	20	0	20	0	20	0								
	Tonk	22	8	23	0	20	12	30	0	30	0	29	0	7	4	7	8	6	8	8	4	8	8	8	0	37	8	38	8	38	0	...	...	...	...	...	...		
	Jhikharwar	27	5	27	11	25	14	32	1	33	4	37	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	13	11	13	10	3	41	5	39	9	35	6	22	11	22	11	22	11		
	Shahpura	23	8	25	2	20	8	32	4	34	0	26	4	8	14	9	0	9	0	11	4	11	4	12	0	32	0	34	0	23	8	27	0	21	0	21	0								
	Dholpur	19	4	20	8	17	4	31	0	30	15	22	6	10	2	10	2	9	0	11	4	12	2	10	2	30	6	31	12	20	13	30	0	24	0	24	0								
	Indore	21	8	21	8	20	0	28	0	28	0	...	...	9	0	9	0	9	3	10	0	10	0	10	0	27	0	27	0	26	10	21	0	21	0	21	0						
CENTRAL INDIA.	Gwalior	17	14	18	15	17	2	24	10	26	1	31	0	7	9	7	14	7	7	9	13	10	1	10	0	27	0	27	0	26	10	21	0	21	0	21	0								
	Gosha	27	0	27	0	27	0	22	0	25	0	21	0	10	0	10	8	8	0	11	0	11	8	9	0	31	12	25	0	20	10	26	12	29	4	29	4								
	Daghetkhand (Sutpa)	24	0	25	0	25	0	35	0	35	0	34	8	8	0	8	0	8	0	16	8	16	0	17	0									

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XIV of 1885-86.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 12TH JULY 1884.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 12TH JULY 1885.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 12TH JULY 1884.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 12TH JULY 1885.		Total Increase 1884-85.	Total Decrease 1884-85.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>
11th July 1885	Ondh and Rohilkhand	547	83,810	153	608	86,854	143	17,25,367	214	18,22,451	206	97,087	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Sind, Punjab, and Delhi	706	2,15,696	306	706	2,06,189	292	31,82,483	288	42,72,061	415	10,89,578	...
11th July 1885	Madras	861	1,48,337	172	861	1,35,580	157	20,90,810	165	20,34,726	162	...	57,081
12th ditto	South Indian	654	95,369	146	654	84,787	130	18,44,810	140	18,19,480	139	...	25,130
18th ditto	Great Indian Peninsula	1,450	4,76,427	328	1,497	4,27,962	286	1,21,14,168	568	1,17,18,401	537	...	3,95,767
11th ditto	Bombay, Baroda, and Central India	461	1,37,633	299	461	1,90,932	414	42,42,271	625	43,78,304	651	1,31,033	...
	TOTAL	4,679	11,56,472	247	4,787	11,32,304	237	2,46,99,909	356	2,55,39,626	366	8,39,717	...
	<i>State.</i>												
16th July 1885	East Indian	2,509	6,93,484	459	1,515	8,20,418	541	1,28,45,433	578	1,41,87,182	643	13,41,749	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Eastern Bengal	233	68,463	294	233	68,550	294	12,66,825	370	11,81,444	348	...	85,381
18th July 1885	Nalhati	27	1,434	53	27	1,256	47	24,250	60	19,666	50	...	4,583
First 11 days of July 1885	Northern Bengal	249	23,070	113	249	31,857	128	5,53,978	153	5,33,956	147	...	20,022
Ditto	Kaunia-Dharia	32	2,206	69	37	2,467	67	36,935	78	40,603	75	3,668	...
Ditto	Tirhoot	193	16,394	85	226	20,979	93	3,93,863	139	3,89,875	118	...	3,998
16th July 1885	Patna-Gya	57	7,835	137	57	8,511	149	1,26,101	150	1,34,566	162	8,405	...
Last 10 days of June 1885	Cawnpore-Achnura	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 2,13,809	80	(c) 2,22,633	69	9,324	...
16th July 1885	Dildarnagar-Ghaziपुर	12	606	51	12	800	67	17,909	102	17,334	99	...	575
18th ditto	Rajputana-Malwa (d)	1,200	1,87,628	149	1,411	2,77,000	196	42,29,216	228	47,85,572	233	5,56,356	...
11th July 1885	Wardha-Cool	45	7,102	158	45	12,457	277	1,70,768	258	1,43,958	227	...	21,810
11th ditto	Nagpur and Ghattisgarh	149	8,866	59	149	11,626	78	5,29,579	341	5,23,819	241	...	6,760
18th ditto	British Burma	240	26,124	105	327	31,082	95	6,39,624	206	5,92,042	167	...	47,582
18th ditto	Sindia	76	6,358	86	76	5,722	76	1,07,547	98	1,01,180	93	...	6,367
First 11 days of July 1885	Punjab Northern	447	62,653	140	447	62,233	139	8,94,193	136	12,10,279	186	3,16,061	...
11th July 1885	Indus Valley	680	1,61,212	244	680	2,09,700	317	21,85,965	225	37,22,899	387	15,33,934	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Amritsar-Paibankot	66	4,694	71	66	5,413	82	62,501	65	88,100	92	35,599	...
First 4 days of July 1885	Barilly-Pilibhit	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(e) 20,346	41	20,346	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Narainganj - Dacca	...	...	...	10	1,580	158	...	...	27,053	186	27,053	...
27th June 1885	Mymensingh	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(f) 5,941	19	5,941	...
	TOTAL	3,764	5,89,645	157	4,031	7,51,233	186	1,14,42,577	196	1,37,66,206	218	23,23,629	...
	GRAND TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE)	9,912	24,89,601	248	10,333	27,03,955	262	4,89,87,919	380	5,34,98,014	345	45,05,095	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,80,24,322	155	2,56,76,647	166	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,59,63,597	175	2,78,16,367	179	18,52,770	...
	<i>Assisted Companies.</i>												
First 11 days of July 1885	Bengal Central	126	8,334	68	126	10,112	80	1,66,431	92	1,76,077	96	9,646	...
First 4 days of July 1885	Rohilkhand and Kumaon	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(d) 71,556	78	71,556	...
11th July 1885	Assam	70	3,153	45	78	2,901	37	54,794	61	66,433	59	11,639	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Southern Mahratta	41	1,980	26	316	15,971	51	15,240	25	1,99,498	43	1,84,258	...
Ditto	Bengal and North-Western	69	1,073	15	303	18,423	61	(g) 27,647	26	3,77,187	85	3,49,450	...
18th July 1885	Tarakassur	...	...	...	22	4,239	193	...	...	77,841	243	77,841	...
	TOTAL	306	13,640	45	844	51,646	61	2,64,112	69	3,68,595	73	7,04,483	...
	<i>Native States.</i>												
First 11 days of July 1885	Bhavnagar-Gondal	193	11,981	62	193	18,569	70	4,87,028	168	3,72,920	123	...	1,14,108
18th July 1885	Jodhpur	44	1,036	24	64	2,893	45	15,913	47	46,514	50	30,601	...
First 4 days of July 1885	Nizam's	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(h) 3,02,664	184	(e) 3,23,219	197	20,555	...
12th July 1885	Mysore	87	5,181	60	140	7,516	54	93,440	73	1,13,252	56	19,910	...
First 11 days of July 1885	Rajpura-Patiala	...	...	...	16	421	26	...	...	12,250	53	12,250	...
	TOTAL	324	18,196	56	418	24,389	59	8,89,054	144	9,69,162	111	...	30,892

N.B.—As regards the figures in column "Total receipts from 1st April 1885 to date," audited figures have been availed of as far as possible.

(a) Return not received.

(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1884.

(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1885.

(d) Including Howari-Ferozepore State Railway.

(e) Total receipts from 1st April to 24th July 1885.

(f) Total receipts from 1st April to 27th June 1885.

(g) Total receipts from 2nd April to 12th July 1885.

(h) Total receipts from 1st April to 6th July 1884.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 5th AUGUST 1885.

GENERAL REMARKS—In the Madras Presidency all districts report rain, but more rain is wanted in Bellary, Ganjam, Coimbatore, and Tanjore. Prospects have improved in Bellary and Anantapur and are generally fair, except in Madura, where they are unsatisfactory. In Mysore the rainfall was slight and insufficient for the young crops. Fodder is reported to be becoming scarce, and ploughing and sowing operations are retarded in places. In Tumkur and Kolar prospects are uncertain; and though they are moderately fair elsewhere, the harvest will depend on the future rainfall. In Coorg the season continues favourable.

General rain is reported from the Bombay Presidency, but more is wanted in parts of Karwar, Ahmednagar, Bijapur, Poona, and especially in Sholapur, Khandesh, and Nasik. The condition of the young crops is generally good, though in places they are reported to be slightly injured by blight and insects. Fodder is scarce in some districts. In the Berars, Hyderabad, the Central India and Rajputana States rain has been general, and the crops promise well.

Little or no rain fell in the Punjab during the week under report. The *kharif* sowings have been nearly completed, and prospects are on the whole good; but more rain is wanted. In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh good rain continues to fall, but a break would now be beneficial. Prospects are everywhere good. Wet weather continues in the Central Provinces, where a break is now wanted in some districts. *Rabi* sowings have commenced, and weeding and transplanting continue.

Rain has fallen throughout Bengal, and prospects are favourable everywhere. Transplanting is progressing favourably, but more rain would be beneficial in some parts. In Central and Eastern Bengal the *ghadi* harvest is in progress, with prospects of a good average yield of early rice. Seasonable weather prevails in Assam, and agricultural prospects continue good.

In British Burma ploughing, sowing, and transplanting continue.

The public health is generally fair in most Provinces.

Prices are generally stationary, except in the Punjab, where they fluctuate with a tendency to rise. In Bengal the price of rice is still high.

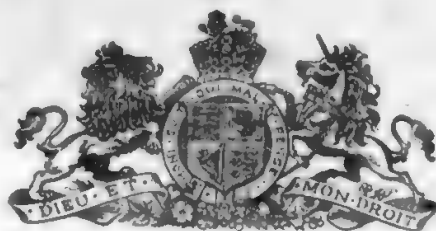
Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(Aug. 5th)		
Bellary ...	22 (average)	More rain required almost everywhere. Standing crops wet moderately good, dry generally fair, but withering in parts for want of rain. Caterpillars have appeared in a few villages of Hospet. Harvest paddy in one taluk, yield average. Fever in one taluk; 32 deaths from cholera.
Kurnool ...	22 (")	Standing crops good. Small-pox in two taluks and cattle-disease in one; 24 deaths from cholera.
Ganjam ...	Average including reports since received, 175; this week, 64.	More rain wanted, especially in Berhampore, Gumsor, and Kirnedi taluks. 280 deaths from cholera.
Kistna ...	61 (")	Fever and small-pox slight; 111 deaths from cholera unreported last week, 89 this week. River 12 feet over ancient.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	38 (")	Standing crops good; harvest paddy in parts, outturn below average. Anthrax in Chingleput and Sydapet.
Coimbatore ...	69 (")	Standing crops generally good, but want rain in parts; harvest dry crops in parts, outturn generally average. Small-pox and fever in parts; 40 deaths from cholera.
Tanjore ...	17 (")	Standing crops generally good, but not flourishing in parts of five taluks for want of rain; harvest dry crops and cotton, outturn below average. 14 deaths from cholera.
Madura ...	10 (")	Fever prevalent; 3 deaths from cholera.
Malabar ...	320 (")	First crop cultivation progressing. Small-pox in seven, cattle-disease in three, and fever in two taluks; 63 deaths from cholera.
Travancore ...	365 (")	Paddy cultivation progressing. Fever prevalent.
Bombay—(August 5th)		
Karachi ...	Dadu, 49; Mirpur Botoro, 65.	River at Kotri on 3rd, 18 feet 10 inches against 17 feet 3 inches on same date last year. Damage to <i>kharif</i> crops in Sehwan and Manjhand, owing to rise of water. Fever and cattle disease in two talukas; no fresh cases of small-pox nor deaths, 9 remaining sick in districts; cholera abating considerably in Karachi city, 9 cases, 9 deaths, 12 remaining; in districts 92 cases, 63 deaths, 47 remaining. Prices—wheat, red rice, and <i>bayri</i> in Karachi 26, 36 and 32; in Sakro nil, 34 and 47; in Sujawal 26, 48 and 42; in Dadu 36, 42 and 42 pounds per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Nil	<i>Kharif</i> cultivation good. River at Kotri on 3rd, 18 feet 10 inches against 17 feet 3 inches on same date last year. Fever in three, small-pox in one, cattle-disease two, and cholera in five talukas. Prices of grain steady.
Ahmedabad ...	102	Total rainfall 13.60. Sowing operations progressing. Cholera in the city, 6 cases, 4 fatal. Wheat 47 and <i>bayri</i> 32 pounds per rupee.
Baroda ...	60	Total rainfall 9.59. Cholera abating in Baroda city. Sowing operations going on. Prices— <i>bayri</i> 27, wheat 25, and rice 19 pounds per current sicca rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Surat	Maximum in Mandvi, 3·87; minimum in Chorasi, 31.	Total rainfall 24·5. Average sowing nearly completed; transplantation progressing; young plants healthy; seventy of fodder is over. Cholera in Bardoli taluka, 6 cases, 4 deaths. Average prices of <i>juari</i> 36 and <i>nagli</i> 41½ pounds per rupee.
Nasik	38; Sinnar, 55; Igatpuri, 8·67; Dindori, 84; Niphad, 56; Chandor, 50; Yeola, 42; Malegaon, 12; Kalwan, 40; Baglan, 49; Nandgaon, nil.	Transplantation of rice, <i>nagli</i> , and <i>vani</i> nearly completed in Igatpuri, Pant, and Dangi villages of Nasik; fairly progressing in Kalwan and western parts of Baglan; sowing of <i>khari</i> crops progressing in Dindori. Nasik, western parts of Sinnar and Chandor, and parts of Niphad; sowing stopped in Yeola, Malegaon, and Nandgaon for want of rain; want of fodder badly felt in Doshi talukas. Cold and fever in Sinnar and Nandgaon; cholera in Nasik, Sinnar, Dindori, and Niphad, 1 attack, 1 death in Yeola and Malegaon; total attacks 179; total deaths 97. Prices of wheat and <i>bajri</i> rising, of rice going down. Wheat 33, <i>bajri</i> 29½, and rice 23½ pounds per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay)	Rain every day, total of week, 1·43.	Total rainfall to date 27·49, being 19·88 below average. Abnormal temperature 1° cool on 30th, 1° warm on 1st, nil on 4th, and 2° warm on all other days; vapour in air normal; abnormal wind easterly on 20th and 31st; wind normal on all other days.
Poona	Rain in four talukas; maximum 4·42 in Maval; minimum, 5·4 in Poona; slight showers in three talukas.	Sowing operations in progress, but more rain wanted for the purpose in three talukas. Cholera in six talukas, 234 cases, 132 deaths. Prices of <i>bajri</i> 28 and <i>juari</i> 35; in Poona <i>bajri</i> 28 and <i>juari</i> 33 pounds per rupee.
Ahmednagar	Parner, 15; Shrigonda, 06; Karjat, 07; Sheogaon, 08; Newasa, 03; Sangamner, 12; Akola, 09; Nagar, Rahuri, Kopergaon and Jamkhed, nil.	<i>Khari</i> sowings are almost finished in Jamkhed, Sheogaon, and Akola, and in some villages in Kopergaon, Shrigonda, and Karjat, and in progress in Nagar, Rahuri, and Sangamner and in poor soils only in Parner and Newasa; the young crops doing well, but require rain soon; want of fodder in Parner, Kopergaon, Sangamner, and in the Doshi part of Akola. Cholera 342 cases, 141 deaths; cattle-disease in Sangamner. <i>Bajri</i> from 33 to 42 and <i>juari</i> from 42 to 60 pounds per rupee.
Sholapur	Sholapur, 42; Barsi, 19; Madha, 08; Karmala, 11; Sangola, 26; Pandharpur and Mulshiras, nil.	<i>Khari</i> crops in <i>giarat</i> lands are fair in the Sholapur and Barsi talukas and in the State of Akalkot, elsewhere very little; <i>khari</i> has been sown in the southern and western talukas. The water in wells used for irrigation is failing and the crops are suffering in consequence. Rain urgently required. Fodder getting scarce, except in the Sholapur and Barsi talukas. There are as yet no signs of distress. Average price of <i>juari</i> 44 pounds 33 tolas and <i>bajri</i> 30 pounds 24 tolas per rupee. Cholera 957 cases, 514 deaths.
Dharwar	Kalghatgi, 1·97; Mugund, 1·77; Hangal, 1·65; Bankapur, 1·42; Dharwar and Karajgi, 1·05; Hubli and Kod, 78 Navalgund, Nargund, Gadag, Mundargi, and Ranibennur, below 30; Ron, nil.	More rain generally required. Sowing of <i>juari</i> nearly completed, except in Nawalgund, Ron, and part of Gadag, Karajgi, and Ranibennur, where it is at a standstill for want of rain; rice and other early crops good, but required heavy showers. Slight cholera in four talukas, but severe in one of the Dharwar villages; slight cattle-disease in one taluka. Average price of rice 26 pounds and <i>juari</i> 46 pounds per rupee.
Karwar	Karwar, 3·56; Kumpita, 2·95; Sirsi, 3·74; Haliyal, 2·38.	Crops healthy. Fever and small-pox in four talukas and cattle-disease in one. Common rice in Karwar 13½ seers, district average 14½ seers per rupee.
Rajkot	3·56	Total rainfall 15·51. General health good; fever prevalent in some places; small-pox in Julia and Dawani. <i>Bajri</i> 38 and <i>juari</i> 44 pounds per rupee.
General Remarks. —Rain throughout the presidency; more wanted in parts of Karwar, Ahmednagar, Bijapore, Poona, and especially in Sholapur, Khandesh and Nasik. Young crops generally good, but slightly injured by blight and insects in parts of Bijapur, by insects in part of Upper Sind Frontier, and by floods in parts of Karachi; fodder scarce in parts of Nasik, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, and Bijapur. Cholera in parts of sixteen, fever and cattle-disease in parts of seven, and small-pox in parts of four districts.		
Bengal—(Aug. 5th)		
Chittagong	4·19	Weather reasonable. Cultivation and sowing progressing; early rice being harvested; prospects generally fair. Prices stationary. Cholera still rages; public health otherwise good.
Dacca	1·13	Prospects of crops good; harvesting of early rice and jute proceeding; late rice doing well. Public health good.
24-Pargunnahs (Calcutta)	2·13	Prospects of early crops continue good; transplanting of late rice going on, but more rain required. Price of common rice 13 to 15 seers per rupee. Public health generally good.
Khulna	3·70	Weather very wet. Early rice coming into ear; transplanting of late rice progresses favourably. Price of rice remains high. Public health good.
Mooreshedabad	3·82	Weather reasonable. Prospects of early rice favourable; more rain wanted for transplanting of late rice in Lalbagh and Jangipore subdivisions. Rice 11 to 13½ seers per rupee. Sporadic cholera reported; fever prevalent in Lalbagh subdivision.
Burdwan	1·72	More rain wanted for transplanting; prospects good. Rice 11½ to 14½ seers per rupee. Health good, except in Sadar subdivision.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bengal—contd.		
Rungpore ...	34	Prospects good; harvesting of early rice not yet finished; transplanting of late rice going on. Price of common rice falling. Fever and bowel-complaints prevalent.
Bhugulpur ...	138	Prospects good; transplanting of paddy going on; some autumn crops north of the Ganges submerged, elsewhere they are good. Some cholera reported, more in south than elsewhere.
Purneah ...	181	More rain required for transplanting; autumn harvest partly commenced. Common rice 14 seers per rupee. Health good. Ganges on high flood.
Patna ...	68	<i>Bhadai</i> and paddy seedlings growing well; <i>bhadai</i> crops on <i>dearah</i> lands injured to a certain extent, owing to rise of water. Cholera reported from Barh and Behar subdivisions.
Durbhanga ...	87	Prospects of autumn crops very favourable; transplanting of paddy going on everywhere. Prices stationary. Public health good.
Hazaribagh ...	150; heavy and continuous rain generally reported.	Weather seasonable. Crops promise well and agricultural operations proceed vigorously. Prices continue steady. Cholera reported from some thanas.
Cuttack ...	.....	Early and late rice growing well. Price of rice nearly stationary. Cholera prevalent; public health generally good.
Midnapur ...	517	Indigo manufacture and transplanting of rice progressing; prospects generally good. Public health fair.
Dinagopore ...	646	Prospects excellent; early rice being harvested in some places. Cholera reported from south, but health generally good. Price of rice averages 14 seers per rupee.
Pubna (Serajganj) ...	264	Prospects of crops very good. Rivers rising. Public health fair. Another earthquake shock on night of 3rd.
Gya ...	102	All crops doing very well; transplanting of rice seedlings commenced. Prices nearly stationary. Health fair.
Chumpana ...	13	Autumn and winter crops look promising; transplanting of paddy in progress. Prices stationary. Cholera prevails in Motihari town and jail.
General Remarks —General rain in all districts, and agricultural prospects favourable; transplanting is generally well forward, but in some parts more rain is wanted; <i>bhadai</i> harvest progresses in Central and Eastern Bengal, with prospect of a good average yield of early rice. Price of rice is still high. General health continues fair.		
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—(Aug. 6th)		
Benares (Aug. 4th)	Average rainfall little over 1'0.	Weather still close. Prospects good, but more rain needed. Markets fairly steady. Isolated cases of small-pox reported from city, otherwise health good; no cattle-disease.
Gorakhpore („ 3rd)	Light showers, except a heavy local fall at Sadar.	Rain wanted. Prices falling. Cholera spreading in south of district.
Fyzabad („ 4th)	Nil	Crops generally promising; rice transplanting commenced; weeding going on. General health good; condition of cattle fair.
Lucknow („ 3rd)	No rain since the 31st ultimo.	Break is very beneficial. Weeding progresses; young crops look well; supplies ample. Prices steady. Health both of men and cattle good.
Rae Bareilly („ „)	Ample rainfall at Sadar during the week, about 1'9 in some portions of the district.	The putting in of the transplanted rice delayed on account of too much water; prospects of <i>kharif</i> crops good. Prices slightly rising. General health fair.
Partabgarh („ 4th)	Rain from 2'0 to 8'6	Reports from each tahsil continue favourable. Prices stationary. Health good.
Allahabad („ „)	Rainfall west and centre 2'0 to 3'0; eastern parganas, 3'0 to 4'0.	Condition of crops good; supplies ample. Prices stationary. Health of men and cattle on the whole good; isolated cases of cholera and slight autumnal fever reported.
Cawnpore („ 3rd)	General rain during the week.	Sowing retarded by the heavy rain and a break would now be beneficial to the young crops. Prices steady. Fever and ague in four parganas and cattle-disease in one.
Banda („ „)	Good rain now for three days.	Break very acceptable. Crops flourishing; prospects excellent. 1 death from cholera; cattle-disease in one village.
Ballia („ 4th)	2'1 (average)	Break since 31st July. Condition of crops and market satisfactory. 16 deaths from cholera.
Farakhabad („ „)	Rain during the week from 1'8 to 3'6.	<i>Kharif</i> prospects fair on the whole. Prices steady. Slight fever in parts; no other sickness.
Sitapur („ „)	Nil	A break has succeeded the rain which fell at the beginning of the week, and cultivators are engaged in weeding their crops; prospects continue favourable.
Bareilly („ „)	Rain ample; towards the north somewhat excessive.	Sowings continue. Grain slightly cheaper. Public health good; sporadic cattle-disease slight.
Kumaon („ 3rd)	Rainfall heavy, but not incessant.	Crops good, except in Kali and Kumaon. Prices stationary. Some typhoid fever; cattle-disease continues.
Agra („ „)	Good rain during the week.	Prospects good. Prices stationary. Cholera again appeared in one village.
Jhansi („ 4th)	Good rain	Young crops promise well. Prices steady. Cholera disappearing.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—contd.		
Meerut (Aug. 4th)	Nil	<i>Kharif</i> sowing finished; ploughing going on; prospects excellent. Prices nearly stationary. Slight fever in two tahsils, otherwise health good. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain fell generally throughout the provinces; a break would be beneficial. Prospects everywhere good. Prices steady on the whole. Public health good; cases of cholera reported from Gorakhpur, Allahabad, Ballia, and Agra.
Punjab—(Aug. 5th)		
Hissar (Aug. 4th)	Rain much needed	Health fair. Crops, where sown, flourishing. Prices nearly stationary.
Delhi (" ")	2.40	Health fair. <i>Kharif</i> prospects good. Prices falling.
Umballa (" ")	Nil	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings nearly completed; crops thriving, but rain is wanted for rice; prospects generally good. Prices almost stationary.
Jullundur (" ")	Nil	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress; crops suffering from want of rain. Prices rising.
Ferozepore (" ")	Nil	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings in progress. Prices rising.
Amritsar (" ")	Rain wanted	Health good. Prices rising.
Sialkot (" ")	Nil	Health good. State of crops in some parts critical. Prices stationary.
Lahore (" ")	Nil	Slight cholera in Chunian tahsil, otherwise health is good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings almost finished. Rain wanted. Prices rising.
Mooltan (" ")	Nil	Crops and health good. Prices fluctuating.
Rawalpindi (" ")	Nil	Health good, with exception of a few cases of cholera and fever in the Rawalpindi city and cantonments. <i>Kharif</i> sowings nearly finished. Rain wanted. Prices rising.
Shahpur (" ")	Rainfall general	Health good. Prices falling.
Dera Ismail Khan (" ")	Nil	Health good. Prices stationary.
Peshawar (" ")	Nil	Health and <i>kharif</i> prospects good. Prices stationary.
Central Provinces—(August 5th)		
Nagpur ...	1.69	Weather rainy. Sowings completed; crops flourishing. Fever prevalent; small-pox in places. Prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	9.71	Weather showery and cool. Crops flourishing; weeding continues; <i>rabi</i> sowings commenced. 223 cases of cholera, 143 fatal. Prices steady.
Saugor (Aug. 4th) ...	4.04	Rain light, but continues. Weeding retarded. Health fair. Prices steady.
Sooni (" 5th) ...	8.50	Weather cloudy and rainy. Transplanting of rice progressing; <i>rabi</i> sowings commenced. Slight cholera and cattle-disease. Prices stationary.
Hoshangabad ...	3.40	Break wanted. Prospects of crops fair. Slight cholera. Prices stationary.
Khandwa ...	.64	Weather cloudy and showery. Prospects good. Slight cholera and small-pox. Prices steady.
Raipur ...	3.30	Weather generally clear, with occasional rain. Rice transplanting continues. 641 cases of cholera, 518 deaths. Prices steady.
Sambalpur ...	3.77	Weather cloudy and rainy. Prospects favourable. Health good. Prices steady.
British Burma—(August 5th)		
Akyab ...	12.18	Total rainfall 98.12. Slight cholera in four circles and slight cattle-disease in one. Sowing continues.
Bassein ...	6.49	Total rainfall 51.62. Sporadic cholera in four townships; cattle-disease of fatal type in northern townships.
Rangoon ...	10.95	Total rainfall 49.79. Public health and health of cattle good.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	16.16	Total rainfall 113.56. Public health good; cattle healthy. Ploughing progressing; transplanting commenced.
Tavoy ...	18.57	Total rainfall 123.75. Public health good. Ploughing and sowing progressing.
Pegu ...	9.61	Total rainfall 59.26. Public health good. Slight cattle-disease in one circle.
Monzada ...	8.52	Total rainfall 47.94. Public health good; slight cattle-disease in three townships. Transplanting commenced.
Prome ...	1.15	Total rainfall 19.82. Slight cholera in town and in five townships; severe in one township; cattle healthy. Seedlings in good condition.
Toungoo ...	7.7	Total rainfall 47.84. Public health good; cattle healthy.
Thayetmyo ...	2.44	Total rainfall 17.54. Slight cholera in one subdivision; cattle healthy.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Cholera severe in district, slight in five districts; small-pox slight in one district, elsewhere public health good; cattle-disease severe in two and slight in three districts, elsewhere health of cattle good. Ploughing, transplanting, and sowing progressing. Rains continual and heavy during the month of July.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Assam—(Aug. 5th)		
Ganhati ...	44° of rain during the week ending the 4th instant.	Weather hot; more rain wanted. Public health fair, though fever prevails in Kalajar, still in Luki tahsil; cattle-disease newly reported from some mauzabs besides Poti, Darrang, and Luki tahsils. Transplantation of <i>sali</i> in fair progress; prospects of all crops good.
Sylhet ...	5.39	State and prospects of crops good. Fever prevalent in parts of the district.
Cachar ...	.85	Weather warm. Reaping of <i>dumahi</i> , <i>murali</i> , and transplanting of <i>sali</i> crops continue. Common rice 14½ seers per rupee. Tea doing well. 5 deaths from cholera from Hailakandi reported.
Dibrugarh ...	3.94	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of <i>sali dhan</i> in progress; tea good. No epidemic.
Mysore and Coorg—(Aug. 5th)		
Bangalore ...	Slight rain throughout the State.	Rain insufficient for the young crops, which are suffering in consequence; fodder getting scarce; ploughing and sowing operations retarded in parts; prospects uncertain in Tumkur and Kolar; elsewhere moderately fair, but dependent on future rainfall. Cholera still prevalent in parts of Bangalore and Mysore districts; small-pox in Tumkur and cattle-disease in parts of Mysore; public health otherwise fair. Prices show slight upward tendency. Crops in good condition. Prices stationary. Prospects of season and public health good.
Mysore ...	2.20	
Mercuria ...	.
Berar and Hyderabad—(Aug. 5th)		
Amroli ...	.57	Weather cloudy. Crops progressing favourably; weeding in hand. Wheat 22 and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	.37	Weather cloudy. Crops doing well; weeding progressing.
Hyderabad ...	Average rainfall during the week, 31.	<i>Rabi</i> sowings continue; <i>kharif</i> crops prospering. Cholera prevails in the city and suburbs; general health in talukas fair. Prices—wheat 14½, coarse rice 12½, white <i>juari</i> 19½, yellow <i>juari</i> 22½, and <i>tur</i> 15½ seers per current sicca rupee.
Central India States—(August 5th)		
Indore ...	1.34	Total rainfall 15.80. Health and prospects good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	3.37	Total rainfall 18.14. Health and prospects good.
Satna ...	2.82	Cholera at Rewah 22 cases, 6 deaths. Prospects good.
Neemuch ...	.89	Weather cloudy. 1 case of cholera, otherwise health good. Prospects good.
Goona ...	4.28	Break much wanted. Health generally good.
Agar ...	.66	Health and prospects good.
Schore ...	8.02	Weather cloudy and cool. Crops damaged by rain. Slight cholera at Bhopal.
Nowgong ...	8.16	Total rainfall 23.91. Weather seasonable. Health good.
Manpur (Bhopawar) ...	1.15	Total rainfall 19.0. Health and prospects good. Prices steady.
Rajputana—(August 5th)		
Abu (Aug. 5th) ...	1.36	Total rainfall from 1st June, 12.20. Monsoonish windy.
Sirohi (" 2nd) ...	.64; slight rain	Tanks full, wells and health good. Sowings still progressing.
Marwar (July 31st) ...	3.16 at Jodhpore	Weather cloudy and cool.
Kherwara (Aug. 3rd) ...	1.78	City tanks store full year's supply. Water in wells rising. Health good. <i>Kharif</i> operations progressing; prospects vastly improved. Prices tending to fall.
Meywar (" 1st) ...	.75	Tanks and wells filling. Crops promising. Health good. Prices low. Weather seasonable.
Haroti (" ") ...	Deoli, 2.97; Tonk, 5.63; Shahpura, 2.16; rain in previous week in Deoli, 3.82; Shahpura, 1.96; Kotah this week, 4.81.	Tanks and wells filling. Crop prospects excellent so far. Health good. Prices falling. Weather cloudy.
Jhallawar (July 31st) ...	5.54	Break in parts needed. Cholera reappeared in Tonk; elsewhere health good.
Ajmere (Aug. 4th) ...	4.55	Few cases of cholera, health otherwise good.
Jerpore (" ") ...	6.18	Weather cloudy. Prices steady. Health good. Prospects good.
Kerowlee (" 1st) ...	2.60	Tanks and wells full. Crop prospects excellent. Health good. Prices falling.
Dholepore (" ") ...	5.15	Tanks and wells full. Crop prospects excellent. Health good.
Bhartpore (" ") ...	3.60	Slight fever. Heat moderate.
Ulwar (" 4th) ...	1.51 (average)	Tanks and wells full. Ploughing and sowing almost completed. Health good. Prices steady.
Bikaner (" 4th) ...	Drops; 50 at Sujan-garh.	Prospects good. Health good.
Nepal—(July 30th)		
Khatmandu ...	1.52	Good rain in districts. Small-pox in one tahsil; health otherwise good. Prices stationary. Weather hot, cloudy, and windy.
		Weather seasonable. Cholera decreasing in Khatmandu, worse in other places. Prospects fair.



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(IN THOUSANDS OF RUPEES.)

YEAR.	FOR THE FOUR MONTHS, APRIL TO JULY.																YEAR.									
	ROMNEY.				SIDRA.				MADRAS.				BRITISH INDIAN.					TOTAL BRITISH INDIAN.	Total Revenue.	YEAR.						
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1871-72.	3.38	21.67	7.18	32.23	2.81	10.10	1.33	14.24	41	32	41	1.14	1.19	3.94	4.94	10.07	45	1.36	7.73	9.54	8.24	37.39	45.63	21.59	67.22	1871-72.
1872-73.	4.37	21.36	6.87	32.70	1.80	12.99	1.21	16.00	39	29	80	1.48	1.40	4.28	4.00	9.68	1.13	1.67	14.56	17.36	9.09	40.59	49.68	27.51	77.22	1872-73.
1873-74.	3.63	20.85	5.26	29.74	2.15	11.54	1.26	14.95	42	21	36	99	1.32	4.59	4.93	10.84	1.20	1.55	12.41	15.16	8.72	38.74	47.46	24.22	71.68	1873-74.
1874-75.	4.04	24.63	4.40	33.07	2.19	12.28	1.34	15.81	43	16	39	98	1.17	4.89	4.56	10.62	1.48	2.35	8.57	12.40	9.31	44.31	53.62	19.26	72.88	1874-75.
1875-76.	3.88	27.24	5.90	37.02	2.41	13.70	3.25	19.36	44	31	80	1.55	1.49	5.07	5.25	11.81	1.23	1.45	15.72	18.40	9.45	47.77	57.22	30.92	88.14	1875-76.
1876-77.	4.32	20.34	3.64	28.30	2.76	10.94	45	14.15	41	18	8	67	1.92	4.20	3.10	9.22	1.65	1.74	10.62	14.01	11.06	37.40	48.46	17.89	66.35	1876-77.
1877-78.	5.14	25.71	3.72	34.57	3.13	13.21	48	16.82	75	25	14	1.14	1.71	2.52	6.03	4.86	1.81	1.94	8.87	12.62	12.64	43.63	56.17	13.84	70.01	1877-78.
1878-79.	4.51	21.09	4.61	30.21	2.88	12.57	70	16.15	63	14	9	86	2.00	3.47	1.52	6.99	2.68	2.36	10.99	16.03	12.70	39.63	52.33	17.91	70.24	1878-79.
1879-80.	3.95	19.59	2.76	26.30	3.03	10.36	73	14.12	1.00	29	7	1.36	1.73	2.78	1.74	6.25	2.39	1.84	14.45	18.08	12.10	34.86	46.96	19.75	66.71	1879-80.
1880-81.	4.46	17.54	3.01	25.01	2.90	13.71	63	17.24	1.50	34	9	1.63	1.78	3.42	3.33	8.83	1.67	2.37	14.38	18.42	12.31	37.38	49.69	21.44	71.13	1880-81.
1881-82.	4.66	17.46	4.62	26.74	3.56	13.30	60	17.46	1.37	50	12	1.99	1.76	3.43	2.54	7.73	2.34	2.25	16.77	21.46	13.69	37.04	50.73	24.65	75.38	1881-82.
1882-83.	4.93	...	4.90	9.83	3.64	—88*	51	3.27	1.17	2	20	1.39	1.79	...	1.39	3.18	2.98	3	22.75	25.76	14.51	—83*	13.68	29.75	43.43	1882-83.
1883-84.	4.84	8	6.24	11.11	3.66	16	40	4.22	1.26	1	16	1.43	1.76	2	2.00	3.78	2.83	7	17.07	19.97	14.35	29	14.64	25.97	40.51	1883-84.
1884-85.	4.15	12	3.45	7.72	3.47	16	62	4.25	1.40	2	16	1.58	1.69	2	2.34	3.95	2.79	3	12.10	14.92	13.40	35	13.75	18.67	32.42	1884-85.
1885-86.	4.45	7	4.15	8.67	3.96	17	32	4.45	1.43	1	27	1.71	1.63	2	98	2.63	2.18	2	17.87	20.07	13.65	29	13.94	23.59	37.53	1885-86.

The amount refunded is greater than the duty collected.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
STATISTICAL BRANCH;
Calcutta, 13th August 1885.

D. M. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the University of Maryland

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XV of 1885-86.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 18TH JULY 1884.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 18TH JULY 1885.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL TO 19th JULY 1884.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL TO 19th JULY 1885.		Total Increase in 1885-86.	Total Decrease in 1885-86.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
			R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R		
18th July 1885	Guaranteed.												
18th ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhand	547	78,658	144	608	84,643	139	18,04,025	210	19,02,928	201	98,903	...
18th ditto	Sind, Punjab, and Delhi	706	1,93,272	274	706	2,03,494	288	33,75,755	287	44,75,545	308	10,99,790	...
18th ditto	Madras	861	1,39,290	162	861	1,14,725	133	22,30,100	165	21,57,879	161	...	72,221
18th ditto	South Indian	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 13,44,810	140	(c) 13,19,680	139	...	25,130
18th ditto	Great Indian Peninsula	1,450	2,92,178	201	1,497	3,67,276	239	1,24,06,346	545	1,20,75,677	518	...	3,30,669
18th ditto	Bombay, Baroda, and Central India	461	1,21,392	263	461	1,62,153	353	43,63,664	603	44,95,204	627	1,31,540	...
	TOTAL	4,025	8,24,790	205	4,133	9,22,281	223	2,55,24,700	344	2,64,26,918	354	9,02,218	...
	State.												
18th July 1885	East Indian	1,509	6,77,030	449	1,515	7,55,357	499	1,35,22,483	570	1,49,42,539	614	14,20,076	...
18th ditto	Eastern Bengal	233	60,566	260	233	57,989	249	13,27,391	363	12,39,433	342	...	87,958
18th ditto	Nallandi	27	1,909	70	27	1,118	41	26,168	61	20,907	49	...	6,261
18th ditto	Northern Bengal	249	82,510	131	249	29,480	118	5,86,488	152	5,62,646	145	...	23,843
18th ditto	Kannia-Dharia	37	1,883	51	37	2,335	63	38,818	66	42,906	74	...	4,088
18th ditto	Tirhoot	193	16,873	87	226	25,478	113	4,10,37	135	4,11,002	118	...	3,265
18th July 1885	Patna-Gya	57	8,893	155	57	7,467	131	1,34,394	150	1,41,973	160	...	6,979
18th ditto	Cawnpore-Achnera	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 2,41,716	69	(c) 2,45,740	68	...	4,024
18th ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	601	50	12	674	56	18,510	98	18,008	97	...	502
18th ditto	Rajputana-Malwa (d)	1,260	1,72,184	137	1,411	2,85,000	202	44,01,400	222	50,40,008	229	6,39,608	...
18th July 1885	Wardha Coal	45	8,248	183	45	8,589	191	1,79,016	253	1,50,222	214	...	28,794
18th ditto	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	149	11,108	74	149	10,632	71	5,40,697	231	5,33,139	230	...	7,548
18th ditto	British Burma	249	23,139	113	327	31,871	97	6,67,763	200	6,23,913	153	...	43,850
18th July 1885	Sindia	75	5,581	74	75	5,417	72	1,13,128	96	1,06,597	91	...	6,531
18th ditto	Punjab Northern	447	56,939	127	447	52,478	117	9,51,137	135	12,62,757	182	3,11,620	...
18th July 1885	Indus Valley	660	1,39,228	202	610	1,64,000	248	23,23,190	224	38,20,841	372	14,97,651	...
18th ditto	Amritsar-Pathankot	66	5,522	88	66	5,132	78	68,323	67	93,232	90	34,909	...
18th ditto	Bareilly-Pilibhit	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(c) 21,434	40	21,434	...
18th ditto	Narainganj - Dacca-Mymensingh	...	...	...	10	2,136	214	...	...	30,359	195	3,359	...
18th ditto	Kokilamukh	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(e) 6,472	19	6,472	...
	TOTAL	3,759	5,41,484	145	4,031	6,89,796	171	1,20,19,460	194	1,43,74,588	216	23,55,128	...
	GRAND TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE)	9,293	20,46,304	220	9,679	23,67,434	245	5,10,66,620	319	5,57,44,040	338	46,77,411	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,40,01,316	150	2,67,67,139	162	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,70,65,318	169	2,89,86,901	176	19,21,588	...
	Assisted Companies.												
18th July 1885	Bengal Central	126	7,780	62	126	8,458	67	1,74,211	90	1,84,535	91	10,324	...
18th ditto	Rohilkhand and Kumaon	...	...	...	...	(a)	...	...	...	(c) 77,363	79	77,363	...
18th ditto	Assam	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 54,794	61	(c) 60,433	59	11,639	...
18th July 1885	Southern Mahratta	41	1,006	25	315	15,629	50	16,244	25	2,15,127	44	1,93,883	...
18th ditto	Bengal and North-Western	60	1,170	17	303	20,240	67	(f) 28,817	26	4,02,274	85	3,73,457	...
18th July 1885	Tarakessur	...	...	...	22	4,111	201	...	...	82,255	240	82,255	...
	TOTAL	236	9,956	42	766	48,738	61	2,74,068	67	10,27,937	73	7,53,921	...
	Native States.												
18th July 1885	Bhavnagar-Gondal	193	10,022	52	193	10,041	52	4,97,050	164	3,83,388	127	...	1,13,662
18th ditto	Jodhpur	44	1,091	25	64	3,470	54	17,004	45	49,384	50	32,980	...
18th ditto	Nizam's	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 3,10,648	179	(c) 3,41,805	194	22,156	...
18th ditto	Mysore	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 93,449	73	(c) 1,13,259	56	19,810	...
18th July 1885	Rajpura-Patiala	...	...	...	16	688	43	...	...	12,938	52	12,938	...
	TOTAL	237	11,113	47	273	14,199	53	9,27,151	139	9,01,372	108	...	25,779

N.B.—As regards the figures in column "Total receipts from 1st April 1885 to date," audited figures have been availed of as far as possible.
(a) Return not received.
(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 12th July 1884.

(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 11th July 1885.
(d) Including Kewari-Ferozepore State Railway.
(e) Total receipts from 1st April to 11th July 1885.
(f) Total receipts from 2nd April to 19th July 1884.

SIMLA.

The 10th August 1885.

FRED. FIREBRACE, Major, R.E.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING
LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE
ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at the Viceregal Lodge, Simla, on Wednesday, the 12th
August, 1885.

P R E S E N T :

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.P., G.C.B.,
G.C.M.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., P.C., *presiding*.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir A. Colvin, K.C.M.G., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, C.S.I., C.I.E., LL.D.

NORTHERN INDIA FERRIES ACT, 1878, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble Mr. HOPE introduced the Bill to amend the Northern India
Ferries Act, 1878, and moved that it be referred to a Select Committee consist-
ing of the Hon'ble Messrs. Ilbert and Hunter and the Mover.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. HOPE also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects
and Reasons be published in the *Punjab Government Gazette*, the *North-
Western Provinces and Oudh Government Gazette*, and the *Central Provinces
and Assam Gazettes* in English and in such other languages as the Local Gov-
ernments think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 26th August, 1885.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

SIMLA;

The 13th August, 1885.

Note.—The Meeting fixed for the 5th August, 1885, was subsequently postponed to the
12th idem.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

CIRCULATING THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST MEETING OF THE ROYAL COMMISSION IN CONNECTION WITH THE LONDON EXHIBITION.

Circular No. 2nd Ex.
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Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department (Museums and Exhibitions),—dated Simla, the 12th August 1885.

RESOLUTION.

Read the following :—

Statistics and Commerce Despatch, No. 49, dated London, the 14th May 1885, from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

I forward 225 copies of the official report of a meeting of the Royal Commissioners for the Colonial and Indian Exhibition of 1886, held at Marlborough House on the 30th March, sent to me by Sir Philip Cunliffe Owen, Secretary to the Commission, for distribution to intending private Exhibitors in India.

2. You may perhaps consider it advisable to publish the report in the Official Gazettes, for general information.

Proceedings of the First Meeting of the Royal Commission for the Colonial and Indian Exhibition, held at Marlborough House on Monday, the 30th March 1885.

The Royal Commission appointed by Her Majesty the Queen for the purpose of organizing the above exhibition met for the first time on Monday, the 30th March, at Marlborough House, under the presidency of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. The following members of the Commission were present :—Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge, the Marquis of Salisbury, the Marquis of Normanby, the Marquis of Lorne, the Marquis of Hamilton, the Earl of Derby, the Earl of Dalhousie, Earl Cadogan, the Earl of Kimberley, the Earl of Lytton, Viscount Bury, Field-Marshal Lord Strathnairn, the Hon. Edward Stanhope, M.P., the Right Hon. Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, M.P., the Right Hon. William Edward Forster, M.P., the Right Hon. Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, M.P., the Right Hon. Anthony John Mundella, M.P., the Right Hon. Sir Louis Mallet, the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Henry Thurstan Holland, M.P., Sir Daniel Cooper, Sir John Rose, Field-Marshal Sir Patrick Grant, General Sir Frederick Paul Haines, Major-General Sir Henry Creswicke Rawlinson, Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Henry Brownlow, General Sir Edwin Beaumont Johnson, Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Dominick Daly, Lieutenant-General Sir Samuel James Browne, Sir Robert George Wyndham Herbert, Major-General Sir Frederick Richard Pollock, Lieutenant-General Sir Harry Burnett Lumsden, Sir Barrow Helbert Ellis, Lieutenant-General Sir D. Macnaghten Probyn, Surgeon-General Sir Joseph Fayrer, Sir Joseph Dalton Hooker, Colonel Sir Owen Tudor Burne, Major-General Sir A. Clarke, General Sir Edward Selby Smyth, Sir Arthur Blyth (Agent-General for South Australia), Sir Charles Tupper (High Commissioner for the Dominion of Canada), Sir Francis Dillon Bell (Agent-General for New Zealand), Sir Saul Samuel (Agent-General for New South Wales), Sir William Charles Sargeant (Crown Agent for the Colonies), Sir Charles Hutton Gregory, Sir John Coode, Sir George Christopher Molesworth Birdwood, Colonel Henry Yule, Lieutenant-General Charles John Foster, Mr. John Arthur Godley, Mr. Horace George Walpole, Lieutenant-General Richard Strachey, Colonel James Michael, Colonel Arthur Edward Augustus Ellis, Mr. Charles Mills (Agent-General for the Cape of Good Hope), Mr. Arthur Hodgson, Captain Montagu Frederick Ommauney (Crown Agent for the Colonies), Mr. Robert Murray Smith (Agent-General for Victoria), Mr. James Francis Garrick (Agent-General for Queensland), the President of the Royal Agricultural Society, the President of the Institution of Civil Engineers, Mr. Henry Coppinger Beeton, Mr. Edward Birkbeck, M.P., Mr. Bertram Wodehouse Currie, Mr. William George Pedder, and Sir Philip Cunliffe-Owen, secretary.

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS, in opening the proceedings, said :—

MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN,—In addressing you for the first time, I would remind you that the objects for which Her Majesty has been pleased to appoint this Commission are, briefly, to organise and carry out an Exhibition by which the reproductive resources of our Colonies and of the Indian Empire may be brought before the people of Great Britain, and by which also the distant portions of Her Majesty's Dominions may be enabled to compare the advance made by each other in trade, manufactures, and general material progress.

This project, to the realisation of which I have looked forward for some years, is essentially one of a National and Imperial character, differing in this respect from former Exhibitions, in which the elements of trade rivalry and profit largely predominated.

No such opportunity of becoming practically acquainted with the economic condition of our Colonies and the Indian Empire has ever been afforded in this country. The attractive display in the Indian and Colonial Courts at the Paris Exhibition of 1878 could only be witnessed by a comparatively small number of the population of these Islands, millions of whom may be expected to view and profit by the evidence which the Exhibition of 1886 will afford of the marvellous progress made by their fellow-countrymen beyond the seas.

I also trust that this gathering may serve even a higher purpose, and be the means not only of giving a stimulus to commercial interests and intercourse but of strengthening that Bond of Union between Her Majesty's subjects in all parts of the Empire, the growth and manifestation of which are most sincerely appreciated by us all.

Whilst Her Majesty's Government have given their hearty approval to the objects for which the Commission has been appointed, they have not so far found it desirable to make any definite grant towards it. The Commission have, therefore, to rely entirely upon the public support of the great purposes which the Exhibition is intended to promote; and on the attractive form which it will be the endeavour of all concerned to give to it.

I cannot doubt but that, under such conditions, should no untoward events occur, the project will be more than self-sustaining.

At the same time, it has been thought prudent not to dispense with the usual provision of a Guarantee Fund, though I trust no circumstances may arise rendering it necessary to make any call on the Guarantors. To this Fund the Indian and Colonial Governments have made liberal contributions, amounting to £51,000.

I have also to announce with much gratification that the most cordial and generous response has already been made by Corporations, Firms and individuals in the United Kingdom to an invitation to participate in this Guarantee. Although no formal or public appeal has yet been made, and the number invited to contribute to it has so far been limited, the list of subscribers not only embraces those whose interests may be supposed to be specially affected by the Exhibition, but comprehends every class of the community. Though but recently commenced, these further subscriptions already amount to £77,600, making a total Guarantee Fund of £128,600 to the present date.

I feel sure that you will unite with me in the expression of cordial thanks to those who have so promptly and liberally come forward to our assistance. It is a gratifying proof of the interest which exists among all classes at Home and in the outlying countries of the Empire, and of the desire felt by them to embrace every occasion to promote the common advancement and prosperity of the United Kingdom and its Colonies and Dependencies.

Considering the inconvenience which would have resulted to the Members of the Commission had they been summoned to meet at an earlier date, and in view of the immediate assembling of the various Colonial Legislatures, whose co-operation had to be obtained, I deemed it necessary, in order that full time might be given for the preparation of contributions, to take certain preliminary steps, which I trust will meet with your approval.

I have accordingly to announce that arrangements have been made by which the Buildings and Grounds at South Kensington, where the Fisheries

and Health Exhibitions were recently held, have been placed at the disposal of this Commission, on fair terms, and the Buildings can be made available for our purposes at a moderate outlay.

I therefore caused plans of these Grounds and Buildings to be prepared, showing the space which the Commission could assign to India and the various Colonies, and the arrangements which were deemed most convenient. These were communicated to the Government of India, to the High Commissioner for the Dominion of Canada, to the various Agents-General of the Colonies, and, through the Colonial Office, to the Crown and other Colonies, and have met with their approval. Similar communications have been made through the Secretary of State for the Colonies direct to the various Governments, and to the Secretary of State for India with like results.

In the despatch which contained this information, I also stated that it was considered advisable that, in place of any awards being granted by Juries, as has been the case in previous Exhibitions, Commemorative Medals only should be given to each exhibitor. The object in suggesting this change was, that as some Colonies, from their age and circumstances, were more advanced than others, those in their infancy should not be placed at an undue disadvantage in an Exhibition from which all thoughts of trade rivalry should be excluded.

I am pleased to say that answers have been received which show that the suggestions made on this and other matters have been favourably accepted; and to inform you that the project of holding the Exhibition has been everywhere received with the utmost cordiality.

I trust that these preliminary arrangements may meet with your approval.

I have also to submit for your consideration the general method of administration which I recommend should be adopted.

As President of the Royal Commission, it is my intention personally to take the same active part in the work as I did at the Paris Exhibition of 1878.

The details of the Executive duties will devolve on Sir Philip Cunliffe-Owen, whose ability and experience have so often been tested with satisfactory results, and who has also been entrusted by the Indian Government and certain of our Colonies with Executive duties on their behalf.

I have also thought it desirable to nominate a Finance Committee for the purpose of controlling and regulating the expenditure of the Commission and guarding the interests of the Guarantors. This Committee, it is proposed, shall consist of the following members of the Commission, who have kindly placed their services at my disposal, *viz.*, Sir John Rose, Bart. (Chairman); Sir George C. M. Birdwood; Mr. Edward Birkbeck; Sir Barrow Helbert Ellis; Sir William Charles Sargeant.

I will ask you to confirm the appointment of these gentlemen.

As arrangements advance, it may be necessary for me to recur in matters of special importance to your counsel and aid.

While no effort will be spared to render the Exhibition worthy of the primary objects, it is intended to promote, as well as to insure its attractiveness to the Community, the Guarantors may be assured that, subject to the attainment of these ends, no needless outlay will take place; but that, on the contrary, the expenditure will be kept within proper and legitimate limits. As an earnest of this endeavour I have directed full and detailed estimates of the different heads of proposed expenditure—guided by the experience of former Exhibitions—to be prepared for submission, first, to the Finance Committee, and subsequently for my own approval.

Though it is impossible to foresee what eventualities may arise, I trust no obstacles may occur to prevent this Exhibition from being, not only self-sustaining, but as successful, financially, as those of late years have been.

It has been suggested that advantage should be taken of the great numbers who will doubtless visit England during the Exhibition from the Colonies and from India, to procure for them special facilities for visiting the great manufacturing centres and chief places of interest in Great Britain, not only as an expression of welcome, but that they and we may profit by a comparison of

their own with the more matured commercial systems of the Mother-Country, and that by bringing manufacturers, producers and consumers together, an impetus may be given to the general extension of industry and trade.

Negotiations are, in progress to effect this object which I hope may result, not only in mutual advantage, but in proving to our fellow subjects that they are as welcome elsewhere in Great Britain as I am sure they will be in the Metropolis.

In conclusion, let me express the hope that this great undertaking and the many occasions for friendly intercourse with our fellow subjects from India and the Colonies which it will afford, may convey to them the assurance that, while we are deeply moved by the spirit of patriotism they have lately shown in desiring to bear their share in the graver trials of the country, we, on our part, wish to participate in every effort to further and develop their material interests, interests which we feel to be inseparably bound up with the prosperity of the Empire. We must remember that, as regards the Colonies, they are the legitimate and natural homes, in future, of the more adventurous and energetic portion of the population of these Islands. Their progress, and their power of providing all that makes life comfortable and attractive, cannot, therefore, but be a matter of serious concern to us all. And, as regards India, the increasing knowledge of that vast Empire and the rapid and easy means of communication to all parts of it which now exist, render its remarkable and varied products and its social and political condition a source of yearly increasing interest and importance to us.

For the attainment of the purposes I have indicated, I am sure I may rely on your friendly co-operation and assistance, in your several localities, and within the sphere of your individual influence. Although it has been impossible from the pressure of their duties elsewhere for some members of the Commission to be present at this meeting, I am gratified by the assurance from them that we may none the less rely on their practical and earnest assistance on every occasion in furthering the work which has been entrusted to us, and achieving the important ends which I trust may flow from its successful accomplishment.

It only remains for me to express my cordial thanks to you for your kindness in attending here to-day, and my confidence that I shall continue to receive the same measure of support which it has been my good fortune to obtain from many of you on former occasions.

Sir Philip Cunliffe-Owen then read the correspondence relating to the appointment of the Commission and the participation of the various colonies, all of which were most willing to take advantage of this opportunity of displaying their resources and progress, and gaining a larger knowledge respecting their sister colonies.

A preliminary list of Guarantors was also read, the amount of the Guarantee Fund being already £128,600.

The EARL OF DERBY said: I have been asked to move a resolution, and I do it with great pleasure, but also very briefly, because argument is superfluous where I presume we are all of one mind, and it would be a mere waste of time to relate the circumstances, with which you are no doubt familiar, which should induce you to accept this resolution. There was a time, a few years ago, when it was said exhibitions were played out, and that it would be well, for a time at least, to discontinue them. I do not know whether that feeling was ever justified by the facts; it may have represented a passing phase of opinion in London, but it is not the case now. We have had recent experience, and we have seen that, whatever the ostensible objects of the exhibition, whether appliances of health, fisheries, forestry, or whatever the subject may be, the interest that is felt in these exhibitions is unabated, and ever-increasing. The numbers frequenting them seem to increase every year, and if they are well conducted, there can be no doubt they will be a financial success. If this be true, generally, it is still more likely to be true in the case of the exhibition which is to be held next year. I think we must all see and feel that there never was a time in the history of the country when so deep and general an interest was taken in the affairs of the Colonies; and I think also we all feel that, living as we do in a small and overcrowded island, it is both

our duty and our interest to do all in our power to bring before the minds of our fellow countrymen those vast countries beyond the sea, in which those who have comparatively small opportunities of making a successful career in this country may have a better chance in another state of society. After the correspondence which has been read, it will not be necessary for me to recapitulate the details of what has passed, especially as His Royal Highness has been kind enough to state what is most important on that point. I will only say that to me, and those with whom I have acted departmentally, and I think I may say the agents of the colonies, it has been a source of pride and satisfaction to be able to help according to the measure of our power in promoting the wishes of His Royal Highness. I think, although the matter is not completed, and therefore it is undesirable to enter into details, that our colonial fellow subjects, both as regards governments and communities have responded to the appeal made to them in that liberal and patriotic manner we have every reason to expect. You have heard the list of Guarantors read; it is, I believe, an ample one for all purposes, and no doubt can be increased if necessary; and, looking at the increased interest in Colonial affairs, and the way the Colonies have taken the matter up, I think there is no doubt that this exhibition will be a great success. The purpose of the resolution I have to propose is that the Royal Commission may endorse the steps taken by His Royal Highness; and I think I may say that no passage in His Royal Highness's address has given so much satisfaction as that in which he gives us an assurance that he will take the same position in this exhibition as in that of 1878.

The EARL OF KIMBERLEY seconded the resolution, and said: As regards India, I have this exhibition much at heart. There is, perhaps, nothing more desirable for India than that its products and industries should be well known in this country, although we have much more to learn from than to teach them. Their beautiful manufactures which they have produced for so many ages have proved that there is a knowledge of many branches of art which it would be a thousand pities should be diminished under our rule. I have often been struck with the calamity of the introduction of our taste into Eastern arts and manufactures; for their taste is far better than ours, although we have no doubt engineering knowledge and skill and the command of capital; and I cannot conceive of any advantage greater than that the two countries should be brought together. The Government of India will itself undertake the collection and management to a great extent of what is to be sent into this country. You will see from the immense size of our Indian Empire, and the position of the Government there, that it is much better this should be taken in hand by the Government. It is a great satisfaction to me to concur entirely with the proposals made by His Royal Highness, and with my noble friend that this exhibition will be a remarkable success.

The following is the resolution, which was carried unanimously: "That this Commission entirely approves of the arrangements made by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, the Executive President, and now reported by him in detail: and they desire to convey their cordial thanks to His Royal Highness for the interest he has shown in the undertaking, and their appreciation of the judicious steps taken by him to insure its success. The Commission further desire to express their cordial appreciation of the liberal and gratifying contributions already made to the Guarantee Fund, and their warm thanks to the subscribers."

The PRINCE OF WALES: I feel very grateful to Lord Derby for the kind way in which he has moved this resolution, and to Lord Kimberley also for the kind expressions that have fallen from him, and for the hearty and unanimous approval of this Commission, which I look upon as a vote of confidence in myself. I may say that to the utmost of my power and endeavour I will do all I can to further the exhibition, and I feel sure that I shall have the hearty support and concurrence of the distinguished gentlemen of whom I see so many around me. I thank you again for having listened to the address I read to you, and only hope that no untoward event may occur between now and next year to prevent this resulting in perhaps the finest exhibition that has ever been held.

The Meeting then terminated.

COLONIAL AND INDIAN EXHIBITION.

(LONDON, 1886.)

PRELIMINARY LIST OF GUARANTORS.

AMOUNT OF GUARANTEES UP TO THE 30TH MARCH, 1885.
£128,600.

	£	£		£
The Government of India	20,000		Brought forward	83,000
The Government of the Dominion of Canada	10,000		Sir Charles Hutton Gregory, K.C.M.G.	1,000
The Government of New South Wales	5,000		Thomas Hawksley, Esq., F.R.S.	1,000
The Government of Victoria	5,000		Arthur Hodgson, Esq., C.M.G.	1,000
The Government of New Zealand	5,000		Messrs. William Holland & Sons	1,000
The Government of South Australia	2,000		Colonel Michael Daintree Hollins	1,000
The Government of Queensland	2,000		The Hudson's Bay Company	1,000
The Government of the Cape of Good Hope	2,000		James Charlton Humphreys, Esq.	1,000
		51,000	Messrs. Huntley & Palmers	1,000
Messrs. Bass & Co., Limited	2,000		Messrs. Frederick Huth & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Cook, Son & Co.	2,000		The Imperial Fire Insurance Company	1,000
Messrs. Henry S. King & Co.	2,000		George Jennings, Esq.	1,000
Sir Samuel Wilson	2,000		Messrs. Lucas Brothers	1,000
The Bank of Australasia	1,000		Messrs. Marshall & Snellgrove	1,000
Messrs. Aynard & Ruffer	1,000		Messrs. Matheson & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Baring Brothers	1,000		Messrs. John Moir & Son, Ltd.	1,000
Messrs. Bencke, Souchay & Co.	1,000		The Morgan Crucible Co.	1,000
Messrs. Benham & Sons	1,000		Messrs. J. & R. Morley	1,000
Sir Thomas Brassey, K.C.B., M.P.	1,000		Samuel Morley, Esq., M.P.	1,000
Messrs. Jonas Brook & Brothers	1,000		The Northern Assurance Company	1,000
The Earl Cadogan	1,000		The Orient Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	1,000
Messrs. Chappell & Co.	1,000		Messrs. Peek, Frean & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Clayton & Shuttleworth	1,000		The Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company	1,000
Messrs. William Clowes & Sons, Ltd.	1,000		Prices Patent Candle Company, Ltd.	1,000
Messrs. Collard & Collard	1,000		Messrs. Ralli Brothers	1,000
Messrs. J. & J. Colman	1,000		The Earl of Rosebery	1,000
Sir John Coode, C.E.	1,000		Messrs. Rothschild & Sons	1,000
Sir Daniel Cooper, Bart., K.C.M.G.	1,000		Messrs. David Sassoon & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Copestake, Hughes, Cramp-ton & Co.	1,000		Messrs. J. Schweppe & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Coutts & Co.	1,000		The Royal Mail Steam Packet Co.	1,000
Messrs. Crosse & Blackwell	1,000		Messrs. James Shoolbred & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Dalgety & Co., Ltd.	1,000		Messrs. S. W. Silver & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Davey, Paxman & Co.	1,000		Messrs. Thomas Tapling & Co.	1,000
Messrs. Debenham & Freebody	1,000		The Union Bank of Australia, Ltd.	1,000
Messrs. Denny Brothers (Dumbarton).	1,000		John Unite, Esq.	1,000
The Earl of Derby, K.G.	1,000		Messrs. Waterlow and Sons, Ltd.	1,000
Henry Doulton, Esq.	1,000		The Duke of Westminster, K.G.	1,000
Alderman Sir John Whittaker Ellis, Bart., M.P.	1,000		The White Star Line, per Messrs. Ismay Imrie & Co.	1,000
Messrs. W. & J. Galloway & Sons	1,000		Messrs. Willing & Co., Ltd.	1,000
Messrs. Antony Gibbs & Sons	1,000		Augustus John Adderley, Esq., C.M.G.	500
Messrs. W. & A. Gilbey	1,000		The Right Hon. W. E. Foster, M.P.	500
Messrs. Gillow & Co.	1,000		Sir Henry Thurstan Holland, Bart., K.C.M.G., M.P.	500
Carried forward	£84,000		Baron Julius de Reuter	500
			The Right Honourable William Henry Smith, M.P.	500
			The Earl of Kimberley	100
			Total	£128,600

ADDITIONS TO THE GUARANTEE FUND SINCE 30th MARCH.

Amount Guaranteed on Preliminary List	£		£
Brought forward	128,600	Brought forward	138,600
Messrs. S. Allsopp & Sons	2,000	Messrs. W. & R. Graham & Co. (Glasgow)	500
Messrs. Joseph Gillott & Sons	1,000	Messrs. Hoare, Miller & Co.	500
Sir Frederick Bramwell, F.R.S.	1,000	Messrs. Edward Packard & Co. (Ipswich)	500
The Bank of New Zealand	1,000	Messrs. Spratts Patent	500
The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Ltd.	1,000	Messrs. Miles, Brothers & Co.	100
Messrs. J. S. Fry & Sons	1,000	Messrs. Alexander Redfern & Co.	100
Messrs. J. S. Morgan & Co.	1,000	The New Zealand Thames Valley Land Co., Ltd.	100
Messrs. F. & C. Osler	1,000	The British & New Zealand Mortgage & Agency Co., Ltd.	50
Messrs. Mappin & Webb	1,000		
Carried forward	£138,600	Total	£140,950

TOTAL AMOUNT OF GUARANTEE TO 7th APRIL £140,950.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the report of the Proceedings of the first meeting of the Royal Commission in connection with the Colonial and Indian Exhibition be published for general information in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, and that copies be forwarded to the several Local Governments and Administrations noted on the margin for publication in the Local Gazettes, and for distribution in the manner desired by the Royal Commission.

Government of Madras.
 " " Bombay.
 " " Bengal.
 " " North-Western
 Provinces and
 Oudh.
 " " Punjab.

Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.
 " " British Burma.
 " " Assam.
 Secretary for Bernar to the Resident at Hyderabad.

**REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR
THE WEEK ENDING 12th AUGUST 1885.**

GENERAL REMARKS.—Rain has fallen in all districts in the Madras Presidency, with the exception of Bellary, where it is much wanted for the dry crops, which are suffering. In Madura prospects continue unsatisfactory, and more rain is wanted in Ganjam, Kistna, Coimbatore, Tanjore, and Malabar. In Mysore prospects are uncertain in consequence of the deficient rainfall. Dry crops recently sown are reported to be withering in many places, and agricultural operations have been retarded. In Coorg seasonable weather prevails, and prospects are good.

Slight rain has fallen generally throughout the Bombay Presidency, but more is wanted in parts of Sholapur, Ahmednagar, Bijapur, Nasik, Khandesh, and Dharwar. Young crops are withering in some districts, and have in some places been injured by insects. In the Berars slight rain has fallen, and crops are promising. In the Nizam's Territories rain is much needed for the standing *kharif* crops. In the Central India and Rajputana States good rain has fallen generally, and agricultural prospects are satisfactory.

In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh heavy rain has injured the crops in some places, and a break is now much needed. The condition of the crops is, however, generally very favourable. Rain has fallen in most districts in the Punjab. *Kharif* sowings have nearly been completed, and prospects are on the whole good. In the Central Provinces the weather is seasonable, and crop prospects are favourable. Transplanting and weeding continue in most districts.

In Bengal rain has been general, but in parts of the Presidency Division more is needed. Some damage has been caused to crops by floods in the Midnapur District and the Bhagalpur Division, but otherwise prospects are generally favourable. The *bhadai* harvest is yielding a good average outturn. In Assam rainy weather prevails, and the transplanting of *sali* rice is in progress. Tea promises well. Seasonable rain has fallen in all districts in British Burma, and prospects are good.

The public health is generally fair in most Provinces. Prices are fluctuating in the Punjab, but elsewhere they are generally steady. In Bengal the price of rice continues high.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(Aug. 12th)		
Bellary ...	Nil	Want of rain much felt all over the district. Dry crops partly withering for want of rain. Caterpillars have appeared in a few villages of two taluks. Wet crops moderately good, except in parts of two taluks; harvest paddy in one taluk, yield average. 60 deaths from cholera.
Kurnool ...	'03 (average)	Standing crops good. Small-pox and cattle-disease in one taluk. 10 deaths from cholera.
Ganjam ...	'94 (")	More rain wanted. 338 deaths from cholera.
Kistna ...	'23 (")	More rain required. River 5 feet 8 inches over anicut. Dry crops sown in parts and transplantation of paddy commenced. Fever and small-pox in parts; cattle-disease in three taluks; 89 deaths from cholera reported last week, 77 this week.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	'36 (")	Standing crops generally good, but withering in parts of two taluks; harvest paddy in parts. Outturn below average. Anthrax in Conjeevaram.
Coimbatore ...	'31 (")	Standing crops generally fair, but want of rain in parts. Harvest <i>ragi</i> and <i>cumboo</i> in parts. Outturn generally average. Small-pox, fever, and cattle-disease in parts; 52 deaths from cholera.
Tanjore ...	'36 (")	Standing crop generally good, but not flourishing in parts of five taluks for want of rain. Harvest <i>cholam</i> , tobacco, and indigo, outturn up to average. 21 deaths from cholera.
Madura ...	'60 (")	Fever prevalent.
Malabar ...	'23 (")	Standing crops require rain. Small-pox in six taluks, and fever and cattle-disease in two: 20 deaths from cholera.
Travancore ...	'05 (")	Fever prevalent; small-pox exists.
Bombay—(Aug. 12th)		
Karachi ...	Manora, 10 on 6th	River at Kotri on 10th, 16 feet 11 inches against 17 feet 4 inches on same date last year. Fever in two talukas; 3 cases of small-pox in districts, no fresh cases, nor deaths; 4 cases of cholera in Karachi city, 3 deaths; 38 cases in districts, 37 deaths. Prices—wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Karachi 26, 36 and 32; in Tatta 26, 40 and 40; in Jati 26, 42 and 42; and in Manjhand 32, 38 and 40 pounds per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Nil	River at Kotri on 10th, 15 feet 11 inches against 7 feet 4 inches on same date last year. <i>Kharif</i> cultivation good; entire crops injured by <i>bokhroy</i> insect in Shahdadpur taluka. Fever in three, cattle-disease in two, and cholera in Hyderabad city, Shahdadpur, and Kandiaro talukas. Prices of grain steady.
Ahmedabad ...	'51	Total rainfall 14'11. Young crops thriving. Cholera in the city, 10 cases, 5 fatal. Wheat 37 and <i>bajri</i> 33 pounds per rupee.
Baroda ...	'87	Total rainfall 10'46. Cholera abating in Baroda city. Sowing operations completed, and young plants thriving. Prices— <i>bajri</i> 27, wheat 27, and rice 21 pounds per current sicca rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Surat ...	Maximum in Bardoli, 3'4; minimum in Olphad, 1'83.	Sowing nearly completed; transplantation progressing; young crops healthy. Cattle healthy. Fodder sufficient. Fever and cough in Bardoli. <i>Juari</i> 37 and <i>nagi</i> 43 pounds per rupee.
Nasik ...	Nasik, '84; Sinnar, '44; Igatpuri, 7'32; Dindori, '51; Niphad, '41; Chandor, '22; Yeola, '06; Nandgaon, '18; Baglan, '11; Kalwan, '28; Punt, 3'89; Malegaon, nil.	Transplantation of rice, <i>nagi</i> , and <i>vai</i> nearly completed in the Dangi villages of Nasik, Igatpuri, and Punt; sowing of <i>khari</i> crops vigorously progressing in Nasik, in the western parts of Sinnar, in Dindori, western part of Chandor, Baglan, and Kalwan. Crops have come up in places and are looking healthy, sowings stopped for want of rain in the eastern part of Sinnar, Niphad, eastern part of Chandor, Yeola, Malegaon, and Nandgaon. The season for sowing <i>khari</i> crops is nearly gone; want of fodder badly felt in Sinnar, in the eastern part of Chandor, Yeola, Malegaon, and Nandgaon. Cattle dying of starvation; fever in parts of Nasik, Sinnar, and Nandgaon; cholera in Nasik, Sinnar, Dindori, and Niphad; total 130 attacks, 78 deaths. Prices—wheat 33, <i>bajri</i> 29½, and rice 22½ pounds per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Rain every day; total of week, 1'89.	Total rainfall to date 39'88, being 20'49 below average. Average abnormal temperature 1° warm; vapour in air normal; abnormal wind southerly on 5th, 7th, and 8th; wind normal on all other days.
Poona ...	Maximum in Maval, 2'44; minimum in Haveli, 1'72; light showers in three talukas—Indapur, Sirur, and Bhimthadi—nil.	Cholera in seven talukas, 356 cases, 178 deaths; cattle free from disease, but in parts in poor condition. Sowing operations in progress, where rain is sufficient. More rain wanted in Indapur, Sirur, and Bhimthadi. Scarcity of fodder in the eastern talukas. Prices— <i>bajri</i> 29 and <i>juari</i> 37; in Poona <i>bajri</i> 28 and <i>juari</i> 35 pounds per rupee. Unless heavy rain falls within a week in the eastern talukas, people will have to wait for <i>rabi</i> sowing as <i>khari</i> , sowing will be futile.
Ahmednagar ...	Nagar, '05; Karjat, '07; Jamkhed, '20; Sangamner, '21; Akola, '38; none in the remaining talukas.	Sowing of <i>khari</i> completed in Jamkhed and Shegaon, and nearly so in Akola and in parts of Parner, Newasa, and Karjat, in fifty villages of Kopergaon and a few of Shrigonda; in progress in Rahuri and retarded in Nagar and Sangamner; young crops are yet promising in Jamkhed, Akola, Sangamner, Parner, and in about eleven villages of Karjat, but are beginning to wither or require rain at once elsewhere; transplantation of rice and <i>nagi</i> is finished in Akola; want of fodder in Parner, Sangamner, Kopergaon and the Dechi portion of Akola. Rain urgently wanted throughout the district. Cholera in nine talukas, 193 attacks, 70 deaths; cattle-disease in Sangamner; slight fever in Akola. <i>Bajri</i> from 33 to 42 and <i>juari</i> from 39 to 54 pounds per rupee.
Sholapur ...	Barsi, '06; Madha, '06; Mulsim, '17; none elsewhere.	Condition of <i>khari</i> crops in <i>zariat</i> lands in the Sholapur and Barsi talukas, and in the State of Akalkot is fair; very little <i>khari</i> crop has been sown in the other talukas. Rain urgently required in the southern and western talukas; water in wells used for irrigation is drying up, and crops are suffering in consequence; grass has not sprung up and the stock of fodder is at present very scarce; there are as yet no signs of distress. Average price of <i>juari</i> 46 pounds 7 tolas and of <i>bajri</i> 30 pounds 12 tolas per rupee. Cholera 825 cases, 209 deaths.
Dharwar ...	'29; Hangal, Dharwar, Hubli, Kulghatgi, and Bankapur, nearly '25; Mugad, Ranibennur, and Kod, below '10; Mundargi, Navalgund, Nargund, Gadag, and Karajgi, nil.	Heavy rain urgently required for rice and other early crops and to enable <i>juari</i> sowing being carried on in eastern talukas and in parts of Bankapur and Ranibennur; land is being prepared for late crops; rice and garden crops good for the present. Slight cattle-disease in Ranibennur, and slight cholera in four talukas. Average prices of rice 27 and <i>juari</i> 45 pounds per rupee. Weather cloudy; there are signs of rain.
Kanara ...	Karwar, 1'43; Kumpat, 2'13; Sirsi, 1'77; Haliyal, '08.	Crops thriving. Fever and small-pox in five talukas and cattle-disease in two. Common rice at Karwar 19½ seers, district average 14½ seers per rupee.
Nasikot ...	2'58	Total rainfall 18'09. General health good; fever prevalent in some places; 35 cases of cholera reported at Sholapur under Morvi between 1st and 4th; 3 proved fatal; cattle-disease in Bhatia, Mahal under Nawanagar. <i>Bajri</i> 34 and <i>juari</i> 46 pounds per rupee.
General Remarks. —Slight rain in most districts; more wanted in parts of Sholapur, Ahmednagar, Poona, Bijapur, Nasik, Khandesh, and Dharwar. Young crops withering in parts of Sholapur, Khandesh, Bijapur, and Tauna; and injured by insects in parts of Hyderabad, Upper Sind Frontier, and Bijapur; fodder scarce in parts of Khandesh, Sholapur, Nasik, Ahmednagar, Poona, Bijapur, and Belgaum. Cholera in parts of eighteen, fever and cattle-disease in parts of nine, and small-pox in parts of four districts.		
Bengal—(Aug. 12th)		
Chittagong ...	4'10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops generally fair; transplanting of late rice continues; early rice being harvested. Prices steady. Cholera abated; sporadic cattle-disease reported.
Dacca ...	1'61	Prospects of crop good; early rice and jute being harvested; late rice and sugarcane doing well. Public health good.
24 Pergunnahs (Calcutta) ...	2'88	Prospects of early crops continue satisfactory; transplanting of late rice going on, but more rain wanted. Common rice 13 to 14 seers per rupee. Fever in places.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bengal—contd.		
Moorshedabad ...	2.32	Weather seasonable. Prospects of late rice now fairly good, but transplanting still being delayed in the Jangipore subdivision for want of sufficient rain; prospects of early rice favourable, except on low lands flooded by the tanges; sugarcane and mulberry good. Sporadic cholera reported.
Burdwan ...	2.98	Prospects of crops good. Price of rice 11½ to 14½ seers per rupee. Public health generally good.
Rungpore ..	4.56	Harvesting of early rice and transplanting of late rice still going on; other crops doing well. Cholera much abated; fever and bowel-complaints prevalent. Price of common rice fallen.
Bhagalpur ...	9.91	Prospects of crops good, but floods have done some damage. Price of rice 12 seers 10 chittacks per rupee. Cholera still prevalent in south.
Purneah ...	3.85	Floods in Ganges have done considerable damage. Considerable damage also done by enterpillars in Kadwa; otherwise <i>bhadai</i> prospects excellent. Rain has promoted transplanting. Common rice 14 seers per rupee. Health fair.
Patna ...	6.75	<i>Bhadai</i> crops growing well; transplanting of paddy commenced; <i>chrena</i> and <i>makoi</i> on <i>dearah</i> lands destroyed in some places by a rise in the river. Cholera reported from Barh and Bkhar subdivisions.
Darbhanga ...	2.17	Prospects of <i>bhadai</i> very favourable; <i>murwa</i> , <i>maki</i> , <i>kaund</i> , and <i>shama</i> coming into ear; indigo cutting in progress. Prices stationary. Public health good.
Hazaribagh ...	2.15	Weather seasonable. Sufficient rain everywhere. Agricultural prospects generally favourable; transplanting in progress. Prices steady. Cholera reported from several thanas, otherwise general health good.
Cuttack ...	1.27	Weather cloudy, with light rain. Early rice ripening in places; late rice being harrowed and transplanted. Price of rice unchanged. Cholera reported from all sides.
Midnapore ...	5.12	Very heavy rain all over the district. Much damage from floods in north, elsewhere crops doing well. Public health fair.
Kulna ...	1.47	Weather cloudy and sultry. Early paddy coming into ear; progress of late paddy transplanting favourable. Price of rice still high. Public health good.
Dinapore ...	4.92	Ample rain all over the district. <i>Bhadai</i> crops good and being harvested. Fair outturn expected. Cultivation of late rice progressing. Cholera reported from four thanas, otherwise public health good; some cattle-disease reported. Average price of rice 14 seers per rupee.
Pubna (Serajganj) ...	2.31	Perceptible fall in the rivers. Crops reported well. Fever reported.
Gya ...	4.01	Prospects of crops good everywhere. Fever and cholera prevailing in some parts. Changes in prices slight.
Chumpran ...	6.01	<i>Bhadai</i> and <i>aghani</i> crops look promising; transplanting of paddy in progress. Cholera prevails in an epidemic form in Motihari town and jail.
General Remarks. —General rain over the whole province; more rain wanted in parts of Presidency division. Floods in Midnapore and the Bhagalpore division have done some damage to the crops. Prospects continue generally favourable. Transplanting proceeding well in Central and Eastern Bengal; <i>bhadai</i> harvest is yielding a good average outturn. Price of rice continues high. Public health generally fair.		
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—(Aug 13th)		
Benares (Aug. 11th)	2.5 (average)	Weather cooler. Crops flourishing; supplies sufficient. Prices fluctuating slightly. Isolated cases of small-pox, otherwise health good; no cattle-disease.
Gorakhpore („ 10th)	Good rain in varying quantities throughout the district.	Prices stationary. Cholera severe in certain towns in south, sporadic in east.
Fyzabad („ 11th)	Ample rain	Prospects good; <i>kharif</i> crops good. Prices stationary. General health fair.
Lucknow („ 10th)	Heavy rain during the week ranging from 2.6 to 7.6.	<i>Kharif</i> crops injured to some extent by incessant rains. Prices slightly rising. Supplies ample. Health both of men and cattle good.
Rae Bareilly („ „)	Heavy and continuous rain all over the district; at Sadar, 7.3 during the week.	A break is needed. Prices slightly rising. General health fair.
Partabgarh („ 11th)	<i>Nil</i>	Owing to constant rain very little <i>hajri</i> , <i>moth</i> or <i>maah</i> has yet been sown; <i>makki</i> coming up well; weeding active in <i>juari</i> and <i>dhan</i> fields; general prospects favourable.
Allahabad („ „)	1.9 (average)	Crops flourishing. Markets well supplied. Prices stationary. Health of men and cattle generally good, though sporadic cholera still continues.
Cawnpore („ 10th)	Rain in all but three parganas.	Weather rainy and cloudy; a break much needed for weeding the young crops. Prices stationary. Fever continues in five parganas and cattle-disease in one.
Randa („ 11th)	<i>Nil</i>	Fair weather for four days; break very beneficial. Prices steady. Public health very good; cattle-disease in two villages.
Ballia („ „)	Good steady rain throughout Riparian.	Crops damaged by floods, others flourishing; supplies ample. Cholera increased. 66 deaths.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—contd.		
Parakhabad (Aug. 11th)	General rain during the week, averaging 5'0.	Prospects fair, but crops on low lands have suffered. Prices steady. A few cases of cholera reported.
Sitapur (" ")	Rain from 7'0 to 10'0 has fallen throughout the district during the week.	All crops but rice have suffered injury.
Bareilly (" ")	Nil	Sowing suspended owing to continuous rain. Markets slightly variable. Public health remains good; a cattle-disease.
Kumaon (" 10th)	Heavy constant rain	Sunshine required. Prices rising slightly. Health fair; cattle-disease continues.
Agra (" ")	Rain in four parganas	Prospects good. Prices stationary. Slight cholera in three villages.
Jhansi (" ")	Nil	Weeding in <i>mar</i> soil retarded by heavy rains, a break wanted. Cotton and <i>juari</i> damaged by excessive rain. Prices continue steady. Slight fever and cholera disappearing.
Meerut (" 11th)	Good rain	Break now required. Prospects excellent. Slight rise in prices of <i>juari</i> , otherwise prices stationary. Slight fever, otherwise health good.
Punjab—(Aug 12th)		
Hissar (Aug. 11th)	1'80	Health good. Crops flourishing.
Delhi (" ")	3'34	Health fair. Prospects good. Prices falling.
Umballa (" ")	2'60	Health good. Crops thriving; prospects good. Prices almost stationary.
Jullundur (" ")	50; very beneficial but more wanted	Health good. Prices stationary.
Ferozepore (" ")	20	Health good. State of crops not good, owing to want of rain. Prices stationary.
Amritsar (" ")	70	Health good. Prices rising.
Sialkot (" ")	Nil	Health good. Prices rising.
Lahore (" ")	Rain much wanted	Health good; cholera in Chunian tahsil abated. <i>Kharif</i> sowings continue. Prices have a rising tendency.
Mooltan (" ")	Nil	Health and crops good. Prices almost stationary.
Rawalpindi (" ")	8'5	Health good, with exception of a few cases of cholera in the city and cantonments of Rawalpindi. <i>Kharif</i> prospects fair. Rain wanted. Prices rising.
Shahpur (" ")	Nil	Health good. Prices almost stationary.
Dera Ismail Khan (" ")	90	Health good. Prices stationary.
Peshawar (" ")	Nil	Slight fever prevalent. <i>Kharif</i> prospects good, but rain is much wanted. Prices rising.
Central Provinces—(August 12th)		
Nagpur ...	1 23	Weather cloudy and close. Crops in good condition; weeding continues; ground being prepared for <i>rabi</i> . Fever and small-pox prevalent. Prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	3'71	Weather showery and cool. Crop prospects favourable. Cholera decreasing. Prices stationary.
Raigarh (Aug. 11th) ...	5'64	Crops favourable; weeding rather backward owing to continuous rain. Health fair. Prices steady.
Seoni ...	1'38	Weather cloudy, with light showers. Rice transplanting and sowing of oilseeds continue. Slight cholera. Prices unchanged.
Hoshangabad ...	1'0	Crop prospects fair; weeding continues. Fever in one tahsil. Prices stationary.
Khandwa ...	57	Weather cloudy and close. Prospects favourable. General health good. Prices stationary.
Raipur ...	Nil	Weather seasonable, with light showers. Rice transplanting nearly completed; prospects good. 1,047 cases of cholera, 612 deaths. Prices unchanged.
Sambalpur (Aug. 8th) ...	75	Weather cloudy, with light showers. Prospects and health good. Prices stationary.
British Burma—(August 12th)		
Akyab ...	22'78	General Remarks.—Weather seasonable. Crop prospects favourable; transplanting and weeding continue. Cholera in Raipur and fever in a few places. Prices steady.
Bassoin ...	6'82	Total rainfall 120'9. Slight cholera in five circles; slight cattle-disease in town. Sowing continues.
Rangoon ...	8'32	Total rainfall 58'44. Sporadic cholera in three and slight cattle-disease in two townships.
		Total rainfall 53'11. Public health and health of cattle good.

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British Burma—contd.		
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	8.53	Total rainfall 122.09. Public health and health of cattle good. Transplanting progressing.
Tavoy ...	11.83	Total rainfall 135.58. Public health good; slight cattle-disease in three circles. Ploughing and sowing nearly completed.
Pegu ...	10.55	Total rainfall 69.81. Public health and health of cattle good. Ploughing and sowing well forward.
Henzada ...	3.84	Total rainfall 51.33. Public health good; slight cattle-disease in one township. Transplantation progressing.
Prome ...	0.31	Total rainfall 20.13. Slight cholera in town and in three districts, severe in two districts; cattle healthy. Seedlings in good condition.
Toungoo ...	7.01	Total rainfall 54.85. Slight cholera in town; cattle healthy. Ploughing progressing.
Thayetmyo ...	8.18	Total rainfall 18.43. Public health good; cattle healthy. Ploughing progressing.
General Remarks. —Cholera severe in one district, slight in seven districts, elsewhere public health good; cattle-disease severe in one district, slight in five districts, elsewhere health of cattle good. Ploughing, sowing, and transplanting progressing. Rain seasonable in all districts, except in Prome, where more rain is required and in Amherst where they have been very heavy and the crops have been slightly damaged by floods.		
Assam—(Aug. 12th)		
Gauhati ...	3.37 of rain during the week ending the 11th instant.	Weather hot. Public health fair; cholera still in Luki tahsil; cattle-disease still reported from some mauzāhs. Transplantation of <i>sali</i> still in progress; prospects of all crops good; tea doing well.
Silhet ...	3.98	State and prospects of crops as last week. Public health good.
Cachar ...	7.01	Weather warm. About three-fourths of <i>dumahi</i> and <i>murali</i> crops reaped; transplanting of <i>sali</i> crops continues. Common rice 16 seers per rupee. Prospects of tea good. No cholera reported; health good.
Dibrugarh ...	3.76	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of <i>sali dhan</i> continues; prospects of tea good. District healthy.
Mysore and Coorg—(Aug. 12th)		
Bangalore ...	Insignificant since last report.	More rain much needed, and recently sown dry crops stated to be withering in many quarters; agricultural operations retarded in parts; fodder scarce; prospects uncertain. Cholera appears to be generally abating; small-pox continues in Tumkur district; cattle-disease still continues in parts. No material change in prices.
Mysore ...		Coffee and cardamom crops in good condition. Prices of foodgrains stationary. Prospects of season and public health good.
Mercara ...	6.90	
Berar and Hyderabad—(Aug. 12th)		
Amraoti ...	.34	Weather cloudy. Crops in good condition; weeding progressing. Wheat 22 and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	.08	Weather cloudy. Crops doing well; weeding continues.
Hyderabad ...	Nil	Rain much needed for standing <i>khari</i> crops. Cholera still prevails in the city and suburbs has broken out at Seram on railway line; general health of people fair. Prices—wheat 14½, coarse rice 12½, white <i>juari</i> 19½, yellow <i>juari</i> 22½, and <i>tur</i> 15½ seers per current sicca rupee.
Central India States—(August 12th)		
Indore ...	.20	Total rainfall 16.09. Weather warmer. Health good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	1.19	Total rainfall 19.33. Health and prospects good.
Buna ...	2.31	Cholera in Rewah city, 24 cases, 10 deaths, prevalent in several villages of Rewah, Nagode, and Maibar. Prospects good.
Neemuch ...	1.59	Total rainfall 15.42. Weather clear. Prospects and health good.
Goona ...	5.41	Break much wanted. Health good.
Agar ...	3.16	Health and prospects good.
Schore ...	6.11	Continuous rain. <i>Juari</i> crop much damaged. Health good; slight cholera at Bhopal.
Nowgong ...	2.06	Total rainfall 26.87. Weather seasonable. Prices steady. Prospects fair. Health good.
Manpur (Bhopawar) ...	1.75	Total rainfall 20.75. Crops are flourishing. Health good.
Rajputana—(August 12th)		
Abu (Aug. 12th) ...	6.51	Rainfall very slight; total considerably below average; weather unusually warm and close for this season.
Sirohi (" 9th) ...	.33	Tanks full; wells and health good. Crop prospects fair. More rain wanted. Weather cloudy and high winds.
Marwar (" 7th) ...	Jodhpore, .05	Full year's water in city tanks. Health good. Crops thriving; prospects hopeful. Weather cloudy, but no rain. Prices stationary.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Rajputana—contd.		
Kherwara (Aug. 10th)	3.53	Tanks and wells filling. Crops thriving. Health good. Prices low. Weather showery.
Meywar (" 8th)	.59	Tanks and wells low. Crop prospects excellent up to date. Health good. Prices cheap. Weather fine, passing clouds and mist.
Haroti (" ")	Deoli, 3.35; Tonk, 1.06; Shalipura, 3.18; rain in previous week in Kotah, 2.20.	Weeding commenced. Slight cholera at Tonk.
Jhallawar (" 7th)	0.80	Health and prospects generally good.
Ajmere (" 11th)	<i>Nil</i>	Weather cloudy. Health good.
Jeypore (" ")	.15	Weather cloudy. Prospects favourable. Prices steady. Health good.
Kerowlee (" 8th)	.69	Tanks and wells full. Health good. Prices stationary.
Dholepore (" ")	3.59	Tanks and wells full. Crop prospects excellent. Health good. Prices steady. Heat moderate.
Bhartpore		No report received.
Ulwar (Aug. 11th)	.28 (average)	Prospects good. 3 deaths from cholera, otherwise health good. Prices falling.
Bikaner (" 8th)	Drops; .40 at Sujargarh.	Tanks and wells low. Prospects good. Health good. Prices rising at Bikaner. High winds.
Pertabgarh (" ")	.402	Tanks, wells, prospects, and health good. Prices moderate. Weather cloudy.
Nepal—(Aug. 6th)		
Khatmandu ...	6.97	Rainfall sufficient. Prospects good. Cholera decreasing everywhere.

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a In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee were :—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers, and Bancegunge 13-4 seers.
b In Bishupore the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
c In the interior the retail prices of salt ranged from 10 to 13-8 seers per rupee.

OF INDIA.

ANCE AND COMMERCE.

INDIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1885.

IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lower Mills, Ragi, &c. (Kavara, Veragu, &c.)			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.			PROVINCES.
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	
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13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Ganjam
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Vizagapatnam
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Godavery
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Kistna
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Nellera
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Cuddapah
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Anantapur
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Bollary
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Kurnool
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Madras
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Chinglepat
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	North Arcot
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	South Arcot
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Tanjore
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Trichinopoly
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Madura
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Tinnevely
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Coimbatore
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Nilgiris
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Salem
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	South Canara
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Malabar
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Bombay
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Ahmedabad
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Kaira
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Surat
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Broach
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Tanna (Salnetto)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Colaba (Alibag)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Khandesh (Dhulia)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Nasik
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Ahmednagar
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13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Bijapur (Bagalkot)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Satara
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Belgaum
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Dharwar (Hubli)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Ratnagiri
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Kanara (Karwar)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Panoh Mahals (Godhra)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Aden
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Asirgarh
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Baroda
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Dias
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Nimach
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Nasirabad
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Rajkot
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Upper Sindh Frontier
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Kurachi
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Haidarabad (Nakur)
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Shikarpur
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Sukkur
13 8	13 8	13 8	23 5	23 5	23 5	215 13	215 13	215 13	15 3	15 3	15 3	13 13	13 13	13 13	Thar & Parkar (Umarkot)
Prices per md. of 40 seers.															Western Districts.
13 8	13 8	13 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	13 5	13 0	13 5	Burdwan
13 8	13 8	13 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	13 5	13 0	13 5	Bancoorah
13 8	13 8	13 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	13 5	13 0	13 5	Beerbhoom
13 8	13 8	13 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	13 5	13 0	13 5	Midnapore
13 8	13 8	13 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	13 5	13 0	13 5	Hooghly
13 8	13 8	13 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	13 5	13 0	13 5	Howrah

d In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghatal 14 seers, Contai 10 seers.

e In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13-8 seers.

• In common use.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

PROVINCES.		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE.																																				
		Wheat.									Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), Holcus Sorghum.			Bulrush Millet (Cumbua, Bajra), Panicum Spicatum.															
		DISTRICTS.			Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fort- night of 1884.			Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fort- night of 1884.			Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fort- night of 1884.			Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fort- night of 1884.
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Central Districts.		Calcutta	15 0	16 2	17 12	19 0	19 8	21 5	7 8	7 8	8 14	9 12	9 12	11 6	15 1	15 1	...	17 0	17 0	15 0	
		24-Pergunnahs	14 0	15 4	14 0	16 0	20 0	17 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	14 8	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nudda	16 12	16 12	16 12	20 0	20 0	21 5	10 10	10 10	12 5	11 6	11 6	12 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore	16 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 0	14 4	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mourshedabad	17 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dinagore	16 0	16 0	17 8	16 0	...	14 0	12 9	12 0	12 0	13 12	13 3	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajahmudy	17 4	18 0	...	18 4	24 6	24 0	31 4	10 8	10 0	12 12	12 12	10 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rangpore	17 4	20 0	20 0	...	...	...	11 4	11 3	10 12	11 8	11 8	15 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bogra	16 8	16 8	16 8	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	9 12	13 8	13 8	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pubna	18 12	18 12	23 4	...	...	...	9 0	8 4	8 4	15 0	12 12	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling	9 0	9 0	...	9 0	9 0	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jalpaiguri	13 0	17 0	10 0	20 0	13 0	20 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	13 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Districts.		Dacca	16 0	15 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	23 0	13 8	13 5	13 0	16 0	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Farrakpore	16 0	16 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	34 0	14 0	12 0	14 0	15 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh	13 8	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	11 8	11 12	12 8	14 8	15 8	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chittagong	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	13 0	17 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Noakholly	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tipperah	14 9	14 10	13 4	...	...	...	15 0	13 4	15 0	18 13	14 10	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 13	13 5	12 4	12 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	14 0	15 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Behar.		Patna	20 0	21 0	20 0	24 8	23 8	19 0	10 8	10 8	11 4	13 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gya	16 8	17 0	16 8	23 0	23 0	20 0	8 4	9 0	9 4	12 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Shahabad	18 0	18 8	18 0	23 0	23 0	22 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	14 0	12 8	13 0	...	...	...	21 0	20 8	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darbhanga	15 0	16 0	17 9	20 0	26 0	19 14	10 0	8 0	9 15	11 0	10 8	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Muzaffarpore	18 0	18 0	17 0	22 0	22 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sarun	19 0	19 0	18 8	24 0	24 0	22 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	15 0	16 0	12 8	27 0	26 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Champaran	18 0	18 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	...	10 0	10 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Monghyr	17 13	18 0	19 11	21 0	23 1	21 0	10 8	10 8	11 2	11 8	11 8	12 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagalpur	17 11	17 11	18 4	20 3	22 11	20 3	16 11	10 11	12 0	12 10	12 12	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Patna	18 0	18 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahab	18 0	19 0	20 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		South Pargunnahs	13 4	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 8	15 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.		Cuttack	15 12	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	13 2	17 1	17 1	17 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pooree	16 0	17 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	21 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Balasore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPORE.		South Western Frontier Agency.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hazaribagh	14 8	14 1	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lohardigha	14 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Singbhum	20 0	20 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	21 0	24 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manbhum	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	12 0	12 8	16 0	17 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

- f In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Barasat and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour—Maugrahat 10-8 seers and Kulpat 12-4 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
- g In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koochitea 12 seers, Meherpore 10-10 seers, Chooadanga 13-4 seers, and Ranaghat 12-14 seers.
- A In the sub-divisions of Sakhira and Bagirhat the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
- i In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Magora 10-12 seers, Jhenida and Narul 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
- j In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 10-8 seers, Jungipore 11 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
- * The retail price of salt at Raiganga 11-8 seers and at Nithpore 10 seers per rupee.
- l In the sub-divisions of Natter and Nougong the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
- m In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gailanda 11-8 seers, Nilphamat 12 seers.
- n In Sorigunge the retail price of salt was 12-8 seers per rupee.
- o The retail price of salt at Kurseong 8 seers and at Silliguri 10 seers per rupee.
- p The retail price of salt at Falaotta in the Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
- q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgange 11 seers, Meonshigunge 12 seers and 12-1 chittacks, and Naraingong 13 seers 15 chittacks.
- r In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaulundo 12 seers and Madaripore 12-8 seers.
- s In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patankhali 10-10 seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10-8 seers.

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7 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10 seers 10- $\frac{1}{2}$ chittacks, Attia and Jamalpore 12 seers, and Notrokon 12 seers 5 chittacks.
 8 In Cox's Bazar the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
 9 In the interior the retail prices of salt ranged from 9 to 12-4 seers per rupee.
 10 In the sub-divisions of Brahmanbariah and Chandpore the retail price of salt was 12-8 seers per rupee.
 11 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Aurungabad 11-8 seers, Jehannabad 12 seers, and Nowada 10 seers.
 12 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Buxar 11-8 seers, Sasseram 12 seers, and Bhulhuah 11 seers.
 13 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Madhubani 11 seers, and Tajpore 11-8 seers.
 14 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sontamurhee 11 seers, and Hajepore 12 seers.
 15 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sewan 11 seers, and Gopalgingee 10-4 seers.
 16 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers and Jamui 11-8 seers.
 17 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Mudehpura 10-8 seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
 18 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishengunge 10-8 seers, and Arracah (at Ramogunge) 12 seers.
 19 In Khordha the retail price of salt was 16 seers per rupee.
 20 In Bhadrach the retail price of salt was 2 seers per rupee.
 21 The retail price of salt at Chatra 9 seers, and Khargidih 12 seers per rupee.
 22 The retail price of salt at Daltongunge was 9-56 seers per rupee.
 23 In Govindpore the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

		QUANTITIES PER ACRE																			
PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar); Holcus Sorghum.			Bulrush Millet (Cumbro, Bajra, Pennisetum hyrcata).				
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1884.		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
ASSAM.	Sylhet	13 0	13 8	13 4	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	11 4	15 0	17 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chachar	10 10	10 10	10 0	...	...	16 0	9 6	9 6	12 4	14 8	13 5	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Goalpara	18 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garo Hills	...	...	4 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kamrup	16 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	11 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darrang	8 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 4	7 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nowong	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lokhipur	11 0	11 0	9 0	...	...	30 0	11 0	11 0	8 0	14 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khasi & Jaintia Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 15	6 15	8 8	10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
N.W. PROVINCES.	Dohra Dón	21 0	21 0	17 8	32 0	32 0	25 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	11 0	12 0	10 0	28 0	28 0	19 0	28 0	28 0	28 0	28 0	
	Saharanpur	22 9	22 9	20 15	32 4	32 4	25 13	8 9	8 9	7 7	12 14	12 14	9 11	23 10	23 10	22 9	27 8	27 8	27 8	27 8	
	Muzaffarnagar	22 8	22 8	20 4	32 4	32 4	25 11	8 9	8 9	6 9	14 5	14 5	11 0	23 11	23 11	22 8	27 8	27 8	27 8	27 8	
	Meerut	21 0	21 8	19 12	34 0	34 0	25 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	14 0	14 0	12 0	24 0	24 0	21 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
	Bulandshahr	22 14	24 0	20 8	33 8	34 0	25 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	9 10	24 0	24 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
	Aligarh	22 0	21 4	18 8	33 0	33 0	25 0	6 0	6 0	5 4	11 8	11 8	9 4	23 0	23 0	20 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	
	Kanunpur	15 0	15 0	13 0	17 0	17 0	15 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gorakhpur	18 0	18 0	15 0	22 0	22 0	17 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bijnor	21 15	21 6	18 4	33 12	33 12	24 12	11 4	11 4	8 7	13 8	14 1	9 0	24 12	24 12	20 4	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
	Moradabad	23 0	22 12	19 0	33 8	33 8	25 0	10 8	10 8	9 0	14 0	14 0	11 11	24 12	24 12	24 4	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
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	Bareilly	21 14	22 8	18 12	32 2	32 2	24 11	6 4	6 4	5 0	12 8	11 14	11 12	26 6	17 8	22 8	25 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	
	Shahjahanpur	22 8	21 8	21 8	35 8	32 0	24 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	16 8	16 8	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tank Pargunnah	25 0	25 0	20 10	40 0	40 0	31 4	7 8	7 8	7 4	14 15	15 0	11 8	40 0	17 8	27 8	26 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	
	Muttra	20 0	20 8	19 0	30 0	30 0	24 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	13 0	13 0	10 8	30 0	30 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
	Agra	20 0	20 0	18 4	29 0	29 0	23 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	27 0	27 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
	Farrukhabad	20 6	20 2	17 10	27 10	27 10	23 10	5 6	5 6	7 8	13 7	12 12	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mainpuri	22 8	22 8	20 4	32 7	32 7	25 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Etawah	21 0	21 8	20 0	26 2	27 0	24 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	11 0	12 8	11 8	23 12	24 0	24 0	25 2	26 0	26 0	26 0	
	Etah	24 0	23 8	20 2	30 8	30 8	25 11	8 0	8 0	7 11	15 0	18 0	11 5	23 12	24 0	24 0	25 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	
	Jaloun	22 8	22 0	22 8	26 0	26 0	24 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	23 0	23 0	26 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	
	Jhansi	24 13	23 10	21 8	32 0	31 12	25 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	15 0	16 0	12 0	23 0	23 0	24 0	25 0	25 9	25 9	25 9	
	Lalitpur	25 8	24 4	26 14	36 0	36 0	27 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	13 0	16 0	11 0	31 0	30 0	34 0	28 0	28 0	28 0	28 0	
Cawnpore	21 0	21 0	21 0	28 8	28 8	24 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	27 0	28 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	26 0		
Fatehpur	19 12	19 12	19 0	27 0	27 0	25 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	15 0	16 0	13 8	27 0	28 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	26 0		
Banda	22 0	22 0	24 8	28 0	31 0	31 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	16 0	12 0	30 0	35 0	36 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	26 0		
Allahabad	19 8	19 12	18 12	27 0	27 0	25 12	7 2	7 12	8 0	13 12	13 12	14 0	27 8	28 0	24 8	26 0	27 0	27 0	27 0		
Hamirpur	21 10	21 9	19 15	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	11 8	14 0	11 4	23 2	25 14	27 9	28 8	28 2	28 2	28 2	
Jounpur	19 8	19 8	20 6	24 8	24 8	26 1	7 0	7 0	7 1	14 0	14 0	11 4	23 2	25 14	27 9	28 8	28 2	28 2	28 2		
Gorakhpur	21 9	22 0	19 13	27 14	27 0	23 6	9 7	9 0	11 4	15 12	15 8	13 15	18 0	18 0	21 9	16 8	16 3	16 3	16 3		
Basti	24 0	25 0	19 8	28 0	29 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	14 8	14 8	12 8	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	21 6	20 8	17 11	25 12	28 12	22 8	10 5	10 5	11 1	13 4	13 4	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur	20 0	20 0	17 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	23 0	27 0	22 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	26 0		
Benares	19 4	18 11	18 2	25 8	25 0	21 11	9 12	9 12	12 15	14 10	13 9	12 7	23 14	23 14	25 8	24 4	24 6	24 6	24 6		
Ghazipur	20 9	20 9	18 10	25 14	25 14	23 13	6 7	6 7	6 7	11 9	11 9	11 8	15 7	15 7	...	20 9	20 9	20 9	20 9		
Balia	18 10	19 4	18 0	24 8	24 8	21 14	11 13	11 13	11 0	14 0	12 12	13 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Philibhit	23 0	22 12	18 2	37 8	37 8	29 0	12 8	12 8	10 0	14 8	14 0	12 8	16 0	17 8	...	18 0	18 12	18 12	18 12		
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	Paratagarh	24 12	25 8	21 0	34 11	35 8	29 2	18 13	15 8	13 14	16 5	18 0	15 10	
	Fyzabad	25 0	20 0	18 6	25 0	25 4	21 0	9 0	9 8	8 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	
	Kheri	23 4	28 8	22 8	10 0	40 0	32 8	10 0	10 0	7 0	16 0	16 0	11 4	40 0	40 0	36 0	...	...	...	...
	Lucknow	20 14	20 12	20 10	28 10	28 10	27 2	6 0	6 0	6 0	14 8	14 8	12 0	27 0	28 2	26 4	27 0	27 12	27 12	27 12	
	Ram Banki	21 0	21 0	20 8	27 0	28 0	27 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	30 0	30 0	27 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	
	Badrach	24 0	24 0	21 0	35 0	35 0	27 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	19 0	14 0	36 0	36 0	28 0	22 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	
	Rai Bareilly	23 0	23 0	21 4	30 0	30 0	27 0	...	...	...	18 0	17 8	14 0	30 0	30 0	...	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0
	Sitapur	24 14	24 10	23 6	36 0	37 13	33 24	8 0	8 0	8 0	18 0	18 0	13 0	32 0	24 13	30 0	32 0	33 3	33 27	33 27	
	Gonda	24 4	24 4	21 8	30 8	28 0	27 6	13 12	14 4	12 4	15 4	16 0	14 4	23 0	28 0	25 0	28 8	25 12	25 12	25 12	
	Unao	22 0	21 8	21 0	28 0	28 0	27 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	23 0	28 0	25 0	24 0	25 0	25 0	25 0	
Hardoi	21 0	22 11	20 8	33 0	33 0	30 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	12 0		
PUNJAB.	Hissar	20 0	20 0	17 0	28 0	30 0	26 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	30 0	30 0	18 0	29 0	30 0			

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PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

		QUANTITIES PER HUR.																							
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar). <i>Holcus sorghum.</i>			Barnum Millet (Cumbur, Bawar). <i>Pennisetum Spicata.</i>								
DISTRICTS.		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.			
PROVINCES.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.			
PUNJAB—continued.	Ferozepore	22 0	23 0	23 0	37 0	38 0	40 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	10 0	30 0	30 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mooltan	18 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	26 0	27 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jhang	23 0	21 0	22 0	32 0	32 0	30 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Montgomery	21 0	21 0	22 0	29 0	30 0	32 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	9 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lahore	23 0	23 0	25 0	33 0	33 0	39 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 0	33 0	33 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Amritsar	25 0	27 0	27 0	36 0	33 0	37 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	11 0	33 0	33 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gurdaspur	30 0	31 0	30 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	33 0	33 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gujranwala	20 0	21 0	25 0	37 0	38 0	40 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	11 0	24 0	24 0	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sialkot	25 0	25 0	27 0	40 0	40 0	43 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	24 0	24 0	39 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gujrat	28 0	29 0	31 0	39 0	39 0	49 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	25 0	25 0	43 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rawalpindi	28 0	28 0	29 0	48 0	47 0	45 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 0	25 0	25 0	43 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jhelum	26 0	27 0	28 0	32 0	37 0	41 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 0	24 0	24 0	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shahpur	28 0	28 0	30 0	36 0	35 0	38 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	26 0	25 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Muzaffargarh	21 0	21 0	21 0	28 0	28 0	26 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	6 0	22 0	22 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	20 0	20 0	20 0	26 0	26 0	27 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	11 0	38 0	38 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismail Khan	28 0	29 0	34 0	41 0	42 0	38 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	43 0	40 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bann	44 0	46 0	36 0	63 0	63 0	48 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	9 0	55 0	55 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kohat	37 0	37 0	32 0	61 0	56 0	54 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peshawar	22 0	24 0	30 0	41 0	46 0	52 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	29 0	27 0	50 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hazara	29 0	29 0	30 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Saugor	25 13	25 4	27 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 2	10 0	12 13	13 5	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Damoh	23 4	23 11	34 5	...	...	...	15 0	14 9	12 8	16 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jubbulpore	19 8	19 1	22 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	11 12	17 0	19 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mandla	25 0	25 0	32 8	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 8	18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Seoni	26 6	24 14	25 0	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	12 0	18 11	18 11	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Narsinghpur	20 13	20 14	21 0	...	...	...	12 1	12 0	9 0	14 5	14 5	11 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hoshangabad	19 9	19 9	20 4	...	...	...	8 7	8 7	4 0	10 14	10 14	9 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nimar	18 8	18 4	21 10	...	...	...	8 7	8 7	12 0	13 10	13 1	14 14	24 13	24 13	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Betul	23 0	...	27 0	...	...	...	12 1	...	11 0	12 8	11 0	12 0	28 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chhindwara	20 1	19 0	26 8	...	...	...	10 0	8 12	7 8	14 2	14 1	12 8	25 6	28 1	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Wardha	21 5	21 5	25 0	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	8 0	12 5	12 5	10 0	22 13	22 14	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nagpur	21 14	21 14	23 4	...	...	...	9 11	15 0	9 12	16 4	16 4	14 12	23 12	23 12	27 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chanda	22 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	...	17 0	22 8	...	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rhandhara	22 8	22 1	24 12	...	...	...	11 4	11 14	9 8	16 4	17 1	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Belaghat	27 9	27 9	28 0	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	15 0	22 15	22 15	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rajpur	...	30 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	13 11	14 0	...	21 15	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bilaspur	...	38 15	42 0	...	...	...	...	22 1	25 0	...	31 0	38 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sambalpur	...	26 4	22 12	...	...	...	...	19 4	21 8	...	24 1	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ARAKAN DIVISION.	Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	10 0	15 8	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Northern Arakan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kyaukpada	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 7	12 0	12 7	13 15	13 8	13 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sandoway	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 2	17 2	17 2	22 14	22 14	19 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pegu Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangoon Town	20 9	20 9	12 0	...	...	...	12 2	13 4	10 0	16 10	16 10	10 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 9	9 14	7 9	12 1	12 1	9 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tharrawaddy	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 14	11 14	7 2	11 15	11 15	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prome	22 0	17 2	13 4	...	...	...	13 7	14 15	11 3	16 2	17 2	12 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
IRRAWADDY DIVISION.	Rangoon	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 7	16 1	12 7	15 8	19 4	15 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Heinzada	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 15	11 15	11 15	15 10	15 19	15 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thongwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	9 6	17 7	17 7	10 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thayetyingyi	20 1	20 1	12 12	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	9 6	14 10	14 10	10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tenasserim Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein Town & Amherst	9 0	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	9 11	13 8	13 8	12 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 12	13 12	12 12	21 0	21 0	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 9	14 9	12 9	16 10	16 10	14 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tongoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	10 10	12 13	12 13	12 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shwegyin	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 9	11 9	8 8	12 7	13 13	8 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salween	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HYDERABAD & ADJACENT DISTRICTS.	Secunderabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bolarum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chudherghat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Amruthi	20 10	19 10	22 0	...	...	...	11 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	25 0	25 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...
	Akola	21 0	20 0	21 0	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	8 5	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	23 0	23 0	26 0	...	...	...	...
	Ellichpur	19 0	19 4	19 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	24 0	18 0	19 0	19 0			
	Bahamani	26 0	24 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wan	19 0	18 0	23 0				
Basim	26 11	26 5	23 0				

TABLE FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1885—continued.

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Gram.																Firewood.																Salt.																DISTRICTS.																PROVINCES.
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PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																							
PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millot (Cholum, Jawar), Holcus Sorghum.			Bulrush Millot (Cumbon, Bajra, Pennisetia Spina)								
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1884.			
MYSORE.	Bangalore	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		
	Kolar	No return	No return	received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tumkur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shimoga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kudur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Coorg	9 4	9 2	8 12	9 7	9 6	9 12	11 8	11 5	12 3	15 2	14 13	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jeyapore	20 0	19 0	17 0	25 0	25 0	22 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	30 0	26 0	25 0	20 0	24 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	23 0		
	Kishengurh	20 8	20 8	17 8	27 0	26 8	23 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	26 0	25 8	19 0	23 8	22 0	23 8	22 0	23 8	22 0	23 8		
	Karwarlee	18 7	18 12	18 12	25 0	25 0	24 1	12 8	12 8	8 12	13 12	15 0	10 0	25 0	23 0	23 2	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 12		
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Dhursipore (City)	19 11	20 8	17 11	27 10	28 14	23 2	7 2	7 0	7 6	8 0	8 0	10 0	25 7	23 7	12 3	28 6	27 6	27 6	27 6	27 6	27 6	27 6			
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RAJPOOTANA.	Erinpura	19 4	19 8	15 11	20 0	30 0	22 7	7 8	7 0	7 2	22 0	22 0	19 8	20 0	20 4	20 4	20 4	20 4	20 4	20 4		
	Sirohee	18 0	17 0	14 8	29 0	29 0	24 0	6 0	6 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0		
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	Balmoro	18 2	18 2	13 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	8 8	8 8	6 8	31 0	31 0	31 0	31 0	31 0	31 0	31 0		
	Jaysalmoro	12 6	12 8	12 0	9 8	9 8	9 12	12 0	12 0	11 0	24 0	24 0	18 0	19 10	19 8	19 8	19 8	19 8	19 8	19 8		
	Hilly Tracts of Meywar	26 0	25 0	18 0	32 0	33 0	20 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Meywar (Oodeypore)	21 14	21 7	18 12	28 14	28 2	25 12	9 12	9 12	8 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bánawára (Meywar Agency)	30 0	30 0	27 6	...	...	...	8 2	8 12	10 0	16 4	17 8	16 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Parbhagari	25 10	24 11	20 2	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	8 2	12 8	12 8	11 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marwar (Jodhpore)	17 12	17 4	15 0	23 12	23 12	20 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 12	6 12	7 8	21 4	25 0	16 4	21 14	21 4	21 4	21 4	21 4	21 4	21 4			
CENTRAL INDIA.	Bikaner	13 4	13 12	11 9	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	3 10	6 0	6 0	6 12	...	...	...	17 8	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0
	Boondee	27 0	26 0	27 0	37 8	37 8	40 0	7 8	8 0	7 8	9 4	8 8	8 0	40 1	38 8	36 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kotah	27 8	27 0	26 0	35 0	35 0	35 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	9 0	37 8	37 0	35 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0		
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	Jhallawar	27 0	27 5	25 14	32 1	32 1	37 12	11 13	11 13	10 3	42 13	41 5	35 6	19 11	22 11	22 11	22 11	22 11	22 11	22 11		
	Shalipora	21 9	23 8	20 2	29 12	32 4	26 2	9 0	8 14	7 12	11 4	11 4	10 12	28 4	32 0	23 8	21 1	27 0	27 0	27 0	27 0	27 0	27 0		
	Dholpur	19 11	19 4	17 9	31 0	31 0	22 8	10 2	10 2	9 0	11 4	11 4	10 2	30 11	30 6	20 6	33 12	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0		
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	Goonna	27 0	27 0	27 8	22 0	22 0	21 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	31 0	31 0	40 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0		
Baghelkhand (Sutna)	24 0	24 0	25 0	35 0	35 0	35 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 8	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
(Statistical Branch.)

DATA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1886—concluded.

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Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XVI of 1885-86.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 26TH JULY 1885.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 26TH JULY 1885.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL TO 26th JULY 1885.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL TO 26th JULY 1885.		Total Income in 1885-86.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>		<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	
25th July 1885	Oudh and Rohilkhand	547	78,499	144	608	1,19,823	197	18,82,525	206	20,31,832	202	1,40,307
Ditto	Sind, Punjab, and Delhi	706	1,70,595	254	706	2,10,170	298	35,55,350	285	47,03,253	402	11,47,003
Ditto	Mudras	861	1,30,054	162	861	1,30,658	152	23,69,754	165	22,95,161	161	...
Ditto	South Indian	654	79,876	122	654	78,260	120	15,10,393	138	14,78,871	137	...
1st Aug. 1885	Great Indian Peninsula	1,450	9,63,605	251	1,497	3,61,337	241	1,27,69,851	527	1,24,36,914	601	...
25th July 1885	Bombay, Baroda, and Central India	461	1,13,154	246	461	1,33,517	290	44,77,118	581	46,26,991	606	1,49,873
	TOTAL	4,670	9,54,593	204	4,787	10,33,669	216	2,65,64,991	337	2,75,72,522	348	10,07,531
	<i>State.</i>											
1st Aug. 1885	East Indian	1,509	6,79,050	450	1,515	8,65,090	571	1,42,01,513	563	1,59,07,629	629	16,06,116
25th July 1885	Eastern Bengal	233	61,665	265	233	74,299	319	18,89,056	357	13,12,771	349	...
Ditto	Nallhati	27	1,194	44	27	1,352	50	27,361	60	22,250	49	...
Ditto	Northern Bengal	249	36,210	146	249	30,990	124	6,22,698	151	5,92,290	144	...
Ditto	Kannia-Bharia	37	2,092	57	37	2,495	67	40,910	66	45,241	74	4,630
1st Aug. 1885	Tirhoot	193	17,951	93	226	20,112	90	4,28,687	133	4,34,411	116	5,727
Ditto	Patna-Gya	57	9,605	168	57	6,887	120	1,44,599	151	1,48,860	157	4,291
25th July 1885	Cawnpore-Achnera	240	17,140	71	249	9,580	39	2,75,631	69	2,67,720	65	...
1st Aug. 1885	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	630	53	12	793	66	19,140	95	18,801	95	...
Ditto	Rajputana-Malwa (a)	1,260	1,61,469	128	1,411	2,78,000	197	45,62,860	217	53,18,121	227	7,55,257
25th July 1885	Wardha Coal	45	8,672	192	45	7,760	172	1,87,688	249	1,69,955	213	...
Ditto	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	149	8,006	51	149	9,094	61	5,48,693	220	5,42,233	219	...
Ditto	British Burma	249	23,509	91	327	31,462	96	6,91,272	193	6,55,375	148	...
1st Aug. 1885	Sindia	75	5,853	78	75	6,084	81	1,18,981	95	1,12,681	91	...
Ditto	Punjab Northern	447	48,912	109	447	57,733	129	10,00,079	134	13,45,849	182	3,45,790
25th July 1885	Indus Valley	600	1,11,650	169	600	1,78,600	270	24,37,923	221	39,82,636	365	15,54,713
Ditto	Amritsar-Patankot	66	4,629	70	66	6,610	101	62,952	67	1,00,088	92	37,136
Ditto	Barcilly-Pilibhit	...	...	...	36	876	24	...	...	22,199	37	22,199
Ditto	Narainganj-Dacca-Mymensingh	...	...	...	10	2,054	205	...	...	33,151	290	33,151
18th ditto	Kokilamukh	...	...	...	...	(b)	...	...	...	(c) 8,890	22	8,890
	TOTAL	3,999	5,19,217	130	4,316	7,25,001	168	1,25,58,539	190	1,51,82,129	214	25,73,590
	GRAND TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE)	10,187	21,52,850	211	10,618	26,23,760	247	5,39,25,048	315	6,55,12,240	383	51,87,287
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,50,62,770	118	2,50,85,894	160	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,82,62,273	167	3,04,26,346	173	21,64,113
	<i>Assisted Companies.</i>											
25th July 1885	Bengal Central	126	7,233	57	126	9,015	78	1,91,444	67	1,94,824	93	13,380
Ditto	Rohilkhand and Kumaon	...	...	...	67	4,408	66	...	...	82,736	74	82,736
Ditto	Assam	70	3,607	52	78	3,520	45	60,502	58	73,510	61	13,008
Ditto	Southern Mahratta	41	732	18	315	17,608	56	18,067	27	2,32,935	45	2,14,868
Ditto	Bengal and North-Western	69	1,270	18	303	19,420	64	(d) 30,087	25	4,23,597	85	3,98,129
1st Aug. 1885	Tarakpur	...	...	...	22	5,817	264	...	...	88,072	242	88,072
	TOTAL	306	12,902	42	911	60,883	67	2,90,100	57	11,00,584	73	8,10,184
	<i>Native States.</i>											
25th July 1885	Bhavnagar-Gondal	193	8,069	46	193	9,076	47	5,06,048	156	3,92,464	123	...
1st Aug. 1885	Jodhpur	44	705	16	64	2,160	49	17,709	39	52,125	49	34,419
25th July 1885	Nizam's	121	13,812	114	121	15,807	131	3,48,450	172	3,75,298	187	26,818
Ditto	Mysore	87	8,139	94	140	6,782	48	1,06,754	73	1,27,556	55	20,802
Ditto	Rajpura-Patiala	...	...	...	16	830	52	...	...	13,864	53	13,864
	TOTAL	445	31,624	71	534	35,655	67	9,73,931	137	9,61,310	109	...

N.B.—As regards the figures in column 12, total receipts from 1st April 1885 to date, and where figures have been available as far as possible.

(a) Including Rewar-Porepore State Railway.

(b) Return not received.

(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 18th July 1885.

(d) Total receipts from 2nd April to 26th July 1885.

SIMLA,
The 15th August 1885

FRED. FIREBRACE, Major, R.E.
Under-Secretary

STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON THE AGRA CANAL FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1885.

NATURE OF TRAFFIC.				AGRA CANAL.				REMARKS.
PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF TRAFFIC.								
Up.		Down.		Total Up and Down.				
Mds.	No.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	No.	Particulars.	AGRA CANAL.	
Grains—								
Wheat	...	1,700	...	1,700	...	Tonnage, including weight of timber and bamboos	1903.	
Gram	...	11,150	...	11,150	...	Value of goods	1904.	
Rice	...	...	...	...	...	Number of passengers	...
Paddy or dhan	...	...	...	...	...
Bejhar or mixed grain	...	11,720	...	11,720	...			
Oil—								
Urd	...	...	...	...	...
Mung	...	16	...	16	...			
Arhar	...	...	...	...	...
Mandri	...	...	...	...	...
Juar	...	...	...	...	...
Bejra	...	...	...	...	...
Maize or Indian-corn	...	...	...	...	...
Barley	...	2,280	...	2,280	...			
	...	26,806	...	26,806	...			
			
Cotton	...	...	...	...	...
Oil-seeds	...	600	...	600	...			
Salt	...	...	...	...	...
Metals	...	...	...	...	...
Building materials	26,483	...	...	26,483	...		
Miscellaneous goods	1,140	5,758	...	6,898	...			
Firewood	...	...	...	...	...
Bamboos	...	...	...	...	...
Timber—								
Poles and unsquared timber	...	...	...	...	...
Karis and squared timber	...	1,100	...	1,100	...			
Logs	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous timber	...	...	...	...	...
Live-stock	...	...	...	...	...
	27,023	34,322	...	61,345	...			
	10,770	5,400	...	16,170	...			
	16,853	28,922	...	45,775	...			
			
GRAND TOTAL								
TOTAL DURING CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR								
INCREASE								
DECREASE								

NOTE.—The 9th July 1884 is the date on which water in the Navigation Channel between Okla and Delhi was sufficient for through traffic.

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AGRAHABAD.
The 15th July 1885.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

No. $\frac{114}{1-11}$ Met.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Revenue and Agricultural Department (Meteorology),—dated Simla, the 20th August, 1885.

Read the following :—

Summary of the Weather Reports for July 1885.

Heavy rain fell at Mangalore on the 1st. This proved to be the beginning of a burst of rather heavy rain on the west coast, lasting until the 9th, and spreading northward as far as Ratnagiri, without, however, reaching Bombay. Between the 10th and 16th, though rain fell daily along the west coast, the amounts were not large, but on the 17th a fall of six inches occurred at Bombay and larger amounts on the neighbouring hills. This was the first down-pour of the season on the Konkan coast, and resulted in extensive floods in the neighbourhood of Bombay. Rather heavy rain again fell along the Malabar Coast on the 23rd; but on the whole the amounts recorded in the west of the peninsula, subsequent to the middle of the month, were moderate, and, except in Malabar, the total rainfall of the month was below the average. In Gujarat the rainfall was nearly up to the average of the month, but this result was due rather to the occurrence of heavy local and spasmodic falls at Bajkot, Ahmedabad, and Broach than to steady continuous rain throughout the month. In Sind and Cutch and northward over the Punjab there was very little rain, the relative deficiency during the present month being even greater than in those provinces during June. In the central parts of the country, *i.e.*, Rajputana, Central India, and the Central Provinces, though the average was not actually equalled, the deficiency was small, and in the Berars, the Deccan, and Hyderabad the average was slightly exceeded.

In the eastern and central parts of the peninsula the normal westerly winds appear to have been exceptionally dry; and Mysore, Bellary, and the Karnatic had even less than the small average rainfall. Further north, in the Northern Circars, Orissa, Chutia Nagpur and Lower Bengal, there has also been a slight deficiency; but in Assam, Kachar, Northern Bengal, and over the whole of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh the rainfall has been excessive. During the month several small, and in general feeble, depressions have travelled slowly up the Gangetic plain—some apparently having been formed over the Gangetic Delta, others over Behar or that neighbourhood. Though very slight when measured by barometric differences, some of these disturbances have occasioned heavy falls of rain, of which the more important are as follow :—

	Inches.		Inches.
Darjeeling, 2nd ...	4.38	Dinagepur, 12th ...	4.41
Bahraich, 3rd ...	4.02	Sutna, 13th ...	5.01
Muzaffarpore, 4th ...	5.20	Aligarh, 16th ...	5.50
Naini Tal, 3rd and 4th ...	14.80	Benares, 22nd ...	4.68
Saugor Island, 7th ...	4.27	Saugor Island, 29th ...	6.15
Bareilly, 11th ...	4.21	Mussoorie, 30th ...	5.48

On the whole the rainfall of the month has been more favourable in many respects than that of June. The Punjab, Sind, Cutch, the Konkan, and Orissa again exhibit more or less important deficiencies; but in North Bengal and Behar, where last month a serious deficiency seemed impending, there has now been an almost compensating excess, and in the Deccan, Hyderabad, and Berars, though the excess of the present month does not make up for the deficiency of the last, there has at least been no further failure.

The figures for the season, up to date, show that the rains have been unfavourable in two regions. One includes the Konkan, Khandesh, and the Bombay Deccan, where the amount of rainfall for the two months, June and July, has been only from $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{3}$ of the average amount, and the other the Punjab, where (though there are some exceptions) the general rainfall of the Province has

been only $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ of the normal. In all other parts of the country the seasonal average has been fairly well maintained.

The other meteorological elements exhibit few variations worthy of note. There has been a pretty general excess of pressure over the peninsula, extending on the western side, northward into Gujarat and Rajputana, and a general deficiency over Northern and Central India. The temperature has been above the average in the Punjab, the Central Provinces, Central India, Sind, Gujarat and the Konkan, but generally below it in the peninsula and Burma. The amount of humidity in the atmosphere has been below the mean in the Punjab, and has varied irregularly elsewhere.

The following table shows the amount of rain and the difference from the average during the month of July 1885, according to districts, as far as is indicated by the telegraphic reports:—

Districts.	Average Rainfall in the July.	Difference from the average in July 1885.
Punjab, West	6.30	—3.63
Punjab, East	10.25	—4.59
North-Western Provinces, Trans-Gangetic ...	14.58	+0.66
North-Western Provinces, Cis-Gangetic ...	11.20	+0.17
Behar	10.99	+2.34
Northern Bengal	19.66	+4.91
Assam, Cachar	15.89	+2.35
Lower Bengal, Chutia Nagpur	14.86	—2.01
Orissa, Northern Circars	8.83	—1.87
Central Provinces, South	10.67	—0.39
Berar, Khandesh	7.05	+0.43
Rajputana, Central India, Saugor and Nerbudda	11.55	—1.32
Sind, Cutch	3.21	—2.09
Gujarat	11.10	—0.67
Konkan	23.59	—2.14
Deccan, Hyderabad	7.00	+0.48
Malabar	33.69	+5.09
Mysore, Bellary	2.94	—0.31
Karnatic	1.97	—0.75
British Burma	25.32	+1.00
Ceylon	5.40	—0.97

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**REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR
THE WEEK ENDING 19th AUGUST 1885.**

GENERAL REMARKS.—Rain has fallen during the week in all districts of the Madras Presidency from which reports are received. In Bellary heavy rain is urgently required for the early dry crops. Prospects are still unsatisfactory in Madura, and more rain is wanted in Ganjam, Coimbatore, and Tanjore. Elsewhere prospects are generally good, and improvement has taken place in Anantapur. In Mysore very slight rain has fallen, the crops are in a critical condition, and pasturage and water are failing. In Coorg prospects continue good.

Prospects have greatly improved in the Bombay Presidency, in consequence of the recent rainfall, but more rain is urgently wanted in parts of Sholapur and Bijapur. In these districts and in Nasik, Poona, and Ahmednagar fodder is scarce. *Kharif* sowings are still in progress in places. Rain has fallen in the Berars and Hyderabad, and the condition of the crop is favourable. In the Central India and Rajputana States rain has been general, and the crops are generally in a satisfactory condition.

Good rain is reported to have fallen throughout the Punjab, with the exception of the Lahore district. *Kharif* prospects are generally favourable. Rain has fallen in most districts in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and a break is now wanted. Crop prospects are good, though some damage has been caused to cotton, indigo, and the crops on low lands. Rain has been general in the Central Provinces, and prospects are good.

In Bengal rain has been fairly general, but more is wanted in some districts. Early crops are generally doing well, but in some places in Behar and the Burdwan divisions and in Moorshedabad injury has been caused by floods. The *aus* rice harvest is progressing, with prospects of a fair average outturn; and *aman* rice is being transplanted. Seasonable weather prevails in Assam, but in Sylhet more rain is much needed for the paddy crops on high lands. Transplanting continues.

In British Burma the rains have been seasonable in all districts, except Prome, where more rain is required. Ploughing, sowing, and transplanting are in progress.

The public health is generally fair.

Prices are fluctuating in the Punjab, and have risen slightly in Mysore. Elsewhere they are fairly steady.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(Aug. 19th)		
Bellary ...	76 (average)	Dry crops generally withering, diseased in parts of Kydligi. Caterpillars prevailing in some villages of Hospet. Wet crops moderately good, except in Hadajalli and parts of Harpanhalli; harvest paddy in one taluk, yield average. 13 deaths from cholera. Irrigation canal breached in places. Standing crops good. Small-pox and cattle-disease in parts; 8 deaths from cholera.
Kurnool ...	3.58 (")	More rain wanted for transplanting paddy. Cattle-disease slight in Berhampore taluk; 332 deaths from cholera.
Ganjam ...	2.09 (")	Paddy transplantation began. Fever and small-pox in parts; cattle-disease in Guntur taluk; 68 deaths from cholera unreported last week, 62 this week. River 5.45 feet over anient.
Kistna ...	1.70 (")	Standing crops good; harvest paddy and <i>cumboo</i> in parts. Outturn below average. Rinderpest in two taluks.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	1.52 (")	Standing crops generally fair, but want rain in parts; harvest dry crops, outturn about average. Fever, small-pox, and cattle-disease in parts; 29 deaths from cholera.
Coimbatore ...	.46 (")	Dry crops in critical condition for want of rain; harvest gingelly and <i>cholam</i> , outturn up to average. 10 deaths from cholera.
Tanjore ...	.14 (")	Fever prevalent.
Madura ...	.02 (")	Standing crops fair. Cattle-disease slight in two taluks; fever and small-pox in parts; 14 deaths from cholera.
Malabar ...	12.38 (")	Fever prevalent.
Travancore ...	5.09 (")	<i>General Remarks.</i> —General prospects fair, improved in Anantapur; in Bellary early dry crops will be lost, if heavy rain does not fall soon; in Madura reported to be discouraging.
Bombay—(Aug. 19th)		
Karachi ...	Slight rain on 18th at Karachi; in Manjhand, .55; average of three other stations, .18.	Weather cloudy. River at Kotri on 17th, 17 feet 11 inches against 17 feet 6 inches on same date last year. <i>Kharif</i> crops transplantation completed in three talukas; damage by warm <i>kookai</i> to crops in Tatta taluka and drought in Ghorabari taluka. Fever in five talukas, 2 remaining sick in districts, no fresh cases nor deaths; cholera in Karachi city, 6 cases, 3 deaths; in districts, 7 cases, 6 deaths. Prices—wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Karachi 26, 34 and 32; in Ghorabari 22, 38 and 36; in Shahbandar 22, 38 and 46; and in Kotri 32, 40 and 40 pounds per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Rain in six talukas, average fall, .38.	<i>Kharif</i> cultivation good; <i>bajri</i> crops injured by <i>tid</i> insect in Mirpur khas taluka and <i>titi</i> crops by <i>bokhroy</i> insect, and cotton crops by <i>moraba</i> insect in Shahdadpur taluka. River at Kotri on 17th, 17 feet 11 inches against 17 feet 6 inches on same date last year. Fever in two, cattle-disease in one, and small-pox in two talukas; cholera in Hyderabad city and Moro taluka. Wheat 28, <i>juari</i> 40, <i>bajri</i> 40, white rice 20, and red rice 30 pounds per rupee. Sky cloudy.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—contd.		
Ahmedabad ...	3.28	Total rainfall 17.39. Young crops healthy. More rain is wanted in Dholka and Parantaj for rice crops. Cholera in the city, 26 cases, 15 fatal; in Dholka, 4 cases, 1 fatal; fever prevails in the Ahmedabad taluka. Wheat 37 and <i>bajri</i> 33 pounds per rupee.
Baroda ...	5.48	Total rainfall 15.94. Cholera abating in Baroda city. Sowing operations completed and young plants thriving and in good condition. <i>Bajri</i> 27, wheat 27, and rice 21 pounds per current <i>seers</i> rupee.
Surat ...	Rain in all talukas, maximum in Chikhli, 15.11; minimum in Chorasi, 2.58.	Sowing of cotton incomplete in a few places for want of break; transplantation progressing; young crops healthy. Cattle healthy; fever in Chikhli; 1 death from cholera in Jallapur. Prices— <i>juari</i> 36 and <i>nagli</i> 43 pounds per rupee.
Nasik ...	Excellent rain throughout the district.	Prospects improved. Transplantation of rice, <i>nagli</i> , and <i>vari</i> nearly completed in Igatpuri, Punt, and Dangi villages of Nasik and Kalwan; crops healthy; sowing of <i>khurif</i> nearly completed and recommenced in Niphad, eastern part of Chandor and Sinnar, in Yeola, Malegaon, and Nandgaon, where it had entirely stopped for want of rain; want of fodder badly felt in Deohi talukas. Orders issued to stop sales of grass in waste lands in Nandgaon, Malegaon, Baglan, Kalwan, Yeola, Chandor, and Sinnar, and in the remaining talukas, if thought necessary. Cholera in Nasik, Sinnar, Dindori, Niphad, Chandor, and Yeola, has almost ceased in Nasik. Total attacks 187, deaths 81. Wheat 33, <i>bajri</i> 29½, and rice 23½ pounds per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Rain every day; heavy on 14th and 15th; total of week, 18.54.	Total rainfall to date 48.42, being 5.52 below average. Average abnormal temperature 2° cool from 12th to 15th, afterwards <i>nil</i> ; vapour in air slightly in excess of normal; abnormal wind northerly on 12th and 15th, easterly on 13th and 14th, westerly on 16th and southerly on 17th and 18th; thunder on 14th and lightning on 14th and 16th.
Poona ...	Rain throughout the district; maximum in Junnar, 4.63; minimum in Purandhar, .92.	Sowing nearly completed. Prospects slightly improved in the eastern division by the recent rain, although scarcity of fodder is still felt. Cholera in seven talukas, 375 cases, 181 deaths; cattle free from disease. Price of <i>bajri</i> 27 and <i>juari</i> 38; in Poona <i>bajri</i> 28 and <i>juari</i> 35 pounds per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Rain in all talukas; maximum in Kopargaoon, 2.96; minimum in Newasa, .82.	Sowing of <i>khurif</i> , though late, will be resumed in Rahuri, Kopargaoon, Newasa, and Sangamner, owing to the present good rainfall which has been beneficial to the crops already sown throughout the district; crops are generally good, but more rain much wanted in Newasa and Nagar; want of fodder is still felt in Parner, Kopargaoon, Sangamner and in Deohi, portion of Akola. Cattle-disease in Newasa and Sangamner; cholera in seven talukas, 122 attacks, 56 deaths. <i>Bajri</i> from 33 to 42 and <i>juari</i> from 42 to 60 pounds per rupee.
Sholapur ...	1.31; Barsi, 1.44; Madha, .26; Karmala, 2.01; Pandharpur, .17; none elsewhere.	<i>Khurif</i> crops in the Sholapur and Barsi talukas and in the State of Akolkot doing well, elsewhere very little <i>khurif</i> crop has been sown. Good rain fall in Karmala, more rain urgently needed in four talukas, where water-supply is failing; green grass has not sprung up generally, and stock of fodder is getting low, there are as yet no signs of distress. <i>Juari</i> 45 pounds 31 tolas and <i>bajri</i> 30 pounds 7 tolas per rupee. Cholera 261 cases, 95 deaths.
Dharwar ...	Hangal, 3.64; Dharwar and Mugud, 3.53; Kulghatgi, 2.38; Hubli, 2.20; Kod, 2.08; Rankapur, 1.65; Karajgi, 1.47; Ranibennur, 1.36; Navalgund, .72; Nargund, .50; Gadag and Ron, .40; Mundargi, .08.	More rain required specially in Navalgund, Gadag, and Ron talukas, in parts of which sowing of <i>juari</i> is retarded. Rainfall of the week has done immense good to the standing crops; rice crops and young <i>juari</i> plants good. Slight cholera in five talukas. Prices— <i>juari</i> 44 and rice 27 pounds per rupee.
Karnata ...	Karwar, 10.15; Kumpita, 11.04; Sirsi, 7.78; Haliyal, 5.21.	Crops good. Fever and small-pox in four talukas; cattle-disease in one. Common rice at Karwar 13½ <i>seers</i> , district average 14 <i>seers</i> per rupee.
Rajkot ...	3.06	Total rainfall 21.15. Fever and bowel-complaints prevalent; 8 cholera cases at Shahpur under Morvi on 8th and 9th, 4 proved fatal. <i>Bajri</i> 32 and <i>juari</i> 41 pounds per rupee.
General Remarks. —Good rain throughout the Presidency. General prospects greatly improved. More rain urgently wanted in parts of Sholapur and Bijapur. Crops injured by insects in parts of Karachi, Hyderabad, and Upper Sind Frontier; scarcity of fodder in parts of Nasik, Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, and Bijapur, and of water in parts of Sholapur. Cholera in parts of eighteen, fever in parts of nine, cattle-disease in parts of seven, and small-pox in parts of three districts.		
Bengal—(Aug. 19th)		
Chittagong ...	1.20	Weather cloudy, with occasional rain. Transplanting of <i>amun</i> rice continues. Prospects continue fair. Prices somewhat high. Public health good.
Dacca ...	1.75	Prospects of crops good; early rice and jute being harvested. Public health good.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bengal—<i>contd.</i>		
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta)	1.93	Early crops doing well; prospects of <i>amun</i> fair; transplanting going on, but more rain required in places. Common rice 12½ to 14 seers per rupee. Public health generally good.
Moorshedabad	4.15	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>amun</i> rice now fairly good; transplanting in rapid progress; early rice will be a good crop, but in <i>dearab</i> and low lands it has been greatly injured, if not destroyed by high flood of the Padma. Common rice 11 to 13 seers per rupee. Public health fair.
Bardwan	1.18	Prospects of crops good. Rice 11½ to 14½ seers per rupee. General health good.
Bungpore	1.68	Weather cloudy. Prospects of crops good; harvesting of <i>aus</i> and transplanting of <i>amun</i> still going on; cutting of jute commenced. Seasonal malarious fever and bowel-complaints prevalent. Prices stationary.
Bhagalpur	.30	Great damage done to <i>jenera</i> crop by floods in Sadar subdivision and some damage in Banka by excessive rain; otherwise prospects in south very good; more rain wanted for transplanting in north. Much cholera in Banka and in thanas Sultangunge and Colgong.
Purneah	.84	Crops promise well, but more rain required for late rice; transplanting in fair progress. Common rice 14 seers per rupee. Public health fair. Ganges in flood.
Patna	.31	<i>Bhadai</i> crops promising well; transplanting of paddy seedlings going on. Cholera in Barh and Behar subdivisions; small-pox in thana Bickrum and Hilsa.
Dorbhingra	1.62	Prospects of <i>bhadai</i> very promising; transplanting of paddy still going on. Prices stationary. Public health generally good.
Hazaribagh	2.53	Weather seasonable; sufficient rain everywhere, except in two thanas. <i>Bhadai</i> slightly damaged by too much rain; transplanting completed and the rice generally promises well. Prices steady. Cholera very prevalent; small-pox reported from a few villages.
Cuttack	3.92	Weather cloudy. Early rice ripening and in some places being cut with fair outturn, late rice being harrowed. Rice 15 seers per rupee. Cholera reported from all sides, otherwise public health good.
Midnapur	3.43	Ghatal and Tamlook subdivisions have suffered much by flood, elsewhere prospects fair.
Kuina	2.81	Weather cloudy and rainy. Early paddy ripening; transplanting of <i>amun</i> paddy progresses favourably. Price of rice high. Public health good.
Dinapore	1.28	Rain light, but general. Early rice being harvested; late rice doing well; other crops satisfactory. Rice 14 seers per rupee. Cattle-disease in extreme north and south; cholera in villages in south-east.
Purnia (Serajganj)	2.41	Weather cloudy; more rain expected, but not wanted now. Crops doing very well. Rivers have risen again. Public health good.
Gra	2.0	<i>Bhadai</i> slightly damaged by rain; prospects otherwise favourable. Prices still high. Cholera and fever still prevalent.
Champaran	1.17	Prospects of <i>bhadai</i> and <i>aghani</i> crops favourable. Some damage has been done by floods. Prices stationary. Cholera prevails in all epidemic form in Motihari town.
General Remarks. —Rain has been fairly general in all districts, more rain is wanted in some districts. Early crops are generally doing well, but in some places in Behar and the Burdwan divisions and in Moorshedabad, they have suffered from floods; <i>aus</i> rice harvest is progressing, with prospect of a fair average outturn; transplanting of <i>amun</i> rice still proceeding. Price of rice continues high. General health not so satisfactory as before; fever and cholera being prevalent in many places.		
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—(Aug. 20th)		
Benares (Aug. 18th)	1.3	Prospects good. Markets steady. No sickness; condition of cattle good.
Gorakhpore („ 17th)	Rain in earlier part of the week.	Weather latterly fine. Crops promising. Prices falling. Cholera unabated in south.
Fyzabad („ 18th)	Nil	Prospects of <i>kharij</i> crops good; weeding going on. Public health good; condition of cattle fair.
Lucknow („ 17th)	Nil	Fair weather since the last four days. State of crops good; <i>bajri</i> , <i>moti</i> , and <i>mash</i> are being sown; supplies ample. Prices stationary. Cholera has appeared in the city and suburbs; health of cattle good.
Rae Bareilly („ „)	Rain during the week at Sadar, about 3.0.	Weather cloudy. <i>Kharij</i> prospects good. Prices steady. General health fair.
Partabgarh („ 18th)	Nil	A break in the rains throughout the district. <i>Bajri</i> and <i>mash</i> sown; <i>chitumasa</i> land under preparation for <i>rabi</i> ; prospects good.
Allahabad („ „)	Rainfall in Doab and trans-Ganges averaging .70 and none in trans-Jumna.	Crops good. Markets fully supplied. Prices stationary. Health fair; cholera increasing slightly; condition of cattle generally good.
Cawnpore („ 17th)	Good and general rain during the week.	Break in rain has facilitated the weeding of the young crops and completion of the <i>bajri</i> sowings; cotton and <i>til</i> on low ground slightly injured by heavy rains. The usual autumnal fever is generally prevalent; cattle-disease in three parganas.
Danda („ 18th)	Slight rain during the week.	<i>Kharij</i> crops flourishing. Prices easy. Cholera again appeared in one village of pargana Khamashin; cattle-disease in one village.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—<i>contd.</i>		
Ballia (Aug. 18th)	4·8 (average)	Crops, except on riparian lands, promising; supplies ample. 134 deaths from epidemic cholera.
Farakhabad (" ")	General rain during the week, averaging 1·0.	Prospects good, but crops on low lands have suffered from floods. Prices stationary, excepting a slight rise in Farakhabad. Fever reported in all tahsils; and a few cases of cholera.
Sitapur (" ")	Heavy rain fell throughout the district during the first two days of the week.	A beneficial break has since set in, and people are at work in their fields again. No sickness reported.
Bareilly (" ")	Rain holding up	Crops coming on well. Market steady. Public health good; cattle-disease almost disappeared.
Kumaon (" 17th)	<i>Nil</i>	Heavy rain to 12th; since a break. Crops much improved. Prices rising slightly. Cattle-disease continues; health fair.
Agra (" ")	Good rain all over	Crops generally good, but clear weather necessary. Prices falling slightly. Slight cholera.
Jhansi (" ")	Heavy rain	A break very acceptable. Damage to crops in <i>mar</i> soil apprehended; weeding in <i>patro</i> soil in active progress. Public health good.
Meerut (" 18th)	Rain all over the district.	Some damage done to crops on low lands, elsewhere crops flourishing; ploughing has been stopped by heavy rains. Fall in price of <i>juari</i> ; price of other grains stationary. Health fair.
Punjab—(Aug. 19th)		
Hissar (Aug. 18th)	4·20 at Sadar	Heavy fall in Hansi and Bhiwani tahsils. Health fair. <i>Kharif</i> flourishing. Prices falling.
Delhi (" ")	4·90	Health fair. <i>Kharif</i> prospects favourable. Prices fluctuating.
Umballa (" ")	1·60	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> crops flourishing; prospects good. Prices stationary.
Jullundar (" ")	·50	More wanted. Health good. Crops suffering. Prices stationary.
Ferozepore (" ")	2·10 at Moga; slight falls at Ferozepore, Muktsar, and Zira.	More wanted. Health good. <i>Kharif</i> prospects improved. Prices rising.
Amritsar (" ")	1·20	Health and crops good. Prices stationary.
Sialkot (" ")	1·0	Health good. Crop prospects improved. Prices rising.
Lahore (" ")	<i>Nil</i>	Rain much wanted. Health good. <i>Kharif</i> sowings nearly finished. Prices stationary.
Mooltan (" ")	3·20	Health good. <i>Kharif</i> prospects favourable. Slight rise in prices.
Rawalpindi (" ")	4·0	Health and <i>kharif</i> prospects good. Prices rising.
Shahpur (" ")	Rain throughout the district.	More much needed. Health good. Prices almost stationary.
Dera Ismail Khan (" ")	4·5	Health good. Prices stationary.
Peshawar (" ")	1·70	<i>Kharif</i> prospects good. Prices falling.
Central Provinces—(August 19th)		
Nagpur ...	3·95	Weather showery. Crops in good condition; weeding continues. Small-pox and cattle-disease in parts. Prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	1·84	Weather seasonable. Crops in good condition. 73 cases of cholera, 49 deaths. Wheat 22 and rice 14 seers per rupee.
Saugor (Aug. 18th) ...	·83	Crops favourable; weeding in hand. Health fair. Prices steady.
Seoni ...	2·58	Alternate sunshine and heavy rain. Transplanting of rice continues. Slight cholera. Prices steady.
Hoshangabad ...	4·71	Weather rainy. Prospects of crops fair; weeding continues. Fever in Seoni tahsil. Prices stationary.
Khandwa ...	·82	Weather cloudy and close. Prospects good; slight cholera. Wheat 17, rice 11, and <i>juari</i> 26 seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	4·13	Weather cloudy, with heavy showers. Crops doing well; <i>rabi</i> preparations commenced. 760 cases of cholera, 577 deaths. Prices slightly fallen.
British Burma—(August 19th)		
Akyab (Aug. 15th)	2·68	Total rainfall 124·58. Slight cholera in two circles; slight cattle-disease in town and in one township. Sowing continues.
Rangoon (" ")	6·78	Total rainfall 59·89. Public health good; cattle healthy.
Bassien (" ")	6·65	Total rainfall 65·09. Sporadic cholera in three townships; cattle-disease prevalent in one subdivision. Seedlings in good condition.